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RUSSIA'S FLEET IS ESTABLISHED IN FRENCH PORT

Tokio Learns That Rojestvensky Has Set Up a New Base at Kamranh Bay in Indo-China, a Supposedly Neutral Harbor.

ENGLAND ABOUT TO BE ASKED TO TAKE A HAND

Japanese Declare Czar's Ally Has Taken Sides and That It Is Time for British to Abide by Terms of Their Alliance.

TOKIO, April 19.—From information given out at the war office here it is believed that the Russian fleet has established a base at Kamranh Bay in French Indo-China.

It is said that the squadron will remain there until May 7, coaling, removing the traces of the long ocean voyage, and preparing for the final dash for Vladivostok.

It is said that while he is doing this Admiral Rojestvensky will send out his fleet of auxiliary cruisers to overhaul Japanese merchantmen passing through the straits of Formosa and the China sea.

The information is expected to result in a formal appeal from the Japanese government to England for aid.

The papers are stating that the fact that the Russian fleet is to be allowed to make a French harbor its base in an open manifestation of that country's hostility to Japan, and that since France has taken sides openly with her ally, Russia, it is time for England to do as much for Japan, her ally.

There is a silence on the part of the government regarding the matter that is regarded as decidedly ominous, and it may be that secret diplomatic negotiations between King Edward and the Mikado are now on.

It has been reported that Admiral Rojestvensky has dispatched three auxiliary cruisers to the coast of Japan with a view to raiding some of the unfortified harbors, and possibly drawing some of Admiral Togo's vessels in pursuit.

No apprehension is felt here. The coasts are well patroled and the various reserve regiments have been ordered to hold themselves in readiness for quick movements.

While nothing could be learned at the war office as to the whereabouts of Admiral Togo's squadron, the officials intimated that the Japanese admiral probably knew of the Russian cruiser's departure long before the newspaper men.

It is said that if Rojestvensky hopes to draw off some of Togo's cruisers he will probably succeed, as the Jap commander has an abundance of these swift craft and will welcome the chance for a scrimmage.

WHO WAS ROBBED? ASK THE BURGLAR

Since He Is Missing Courts May Be Asked to Settle Waterloo Dispute.

The courts may have to decide whether it was John Grigg's store or James Fuss' store that was looted by burglars on the New Town road, 22 miles south of Waterloo, Ill., Tuesday night, a week ago, and whether it was John Grigg's goods and money or James Fuss' money that was taken.

Incidentally the United States postoffice in the store was robbed at the same time, but Uncle Sam always knows his own property, so he doesn't figure prominently in the controversy now on between Grigg and Fuss.

Tuesday John Grigg closed a deal with James Fuss for the sale of his store and stock of goods, and had an appointment to meet Fuss at Red Bud, Ill., that night and receive his money.

When he closed his store at 9 o'clock he drove over to Red Bud, met Fuss, completed the details of the deal, and arranged to return with him to the store Wednesday morning, at which time the property would be duly delivered by Grigg to Fuss.

Bright and early, therefore, the two arrived at Grigg's store Wednesday morning and entered, Fuss to become owner and proprietor and Grigg to retire.

To their dismay they discovered that the store had been robbed. A large proportion of the stock of dry goods was missing, the safe had been entered and $35 taken, and stamps and money had also been taken from the postoffice, which is in the store.

"They've robbed you!" cried Grigg to Fuss.

"Not on your life!" cried Fuss to Grigg. "It's you they've robbed."

And right there the novel dispute began. Grigg says he had already sold his store and stock to Fuss when the robbery occurred. Fuss says the store and stock were not his at the time the robbery occurred. Both agree at what time Tuesday night the deal between them was finally closed, but neither knows at what hour Tuesday night the store was robbed.

Only the burglar can settle that question and he hasn't been found.

The store was entered from the rear by sawing out one of the panels of the door and then unlocking the door from the inside.

COURT TO GUARD RECORDS.

Missouri Supreme Bench Stops Removal of Papers From Clerk's Office.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., April 19.—The State Supreme Court has announced that in future the removal of transcripts in criminal cases from the clerk's office will not be permitted. Attorneys have hitherto been allowed to take the transcripts from the office to prepare their briefs and in several instances they have not been returned.

WARMER WEATHER AND RAINS

Forecaster Says Increasing Cloudiness and Showers Due Tomorrow.

There is still a lack of sunshine in the promises held out by the weather department, although warmer weather is now the outlook. The official forecast is:

Increasing cloudiness. Rains Thursday and probably late tonight. Warmer tonight. Southeasterly to easterly winds.

From the southern states rising temperature is reported, also practically from all sections west of the Mississippi. In eastern Tennessee, North Carolina, Virginia and the Ohio valley frost is reported. Freezing weather in the lake region, upper Mississippi and Missouri valleys and the interior of New England.

TWICE DIVORCED, NOW SUES FOR CHILDREN

Mrs. Wills-Rinehart-Ramie Says First Husband Has Not Cared for Them.

Whether Dan Wills, 10 years old, and Neva Wills, 8, shall be given into the custody of their mother, Mrs. Zella Stelling Wills-Rhinehart-Ramie, or shall remain in the custody of the Methodist Orphans' Home until the matrimonial entanglements of their mother are straightened out, is a question which Judge Fisher of the Circuit court is expected soon to decide.

As told in late editions of Tuesday's Post-Dispatch, Mrs. Wills--Rhinehart-Ramie asks that the children be restored to her. She says her present husband, Roy Ramie, is willing for them to be taken to their home and to care for them. She further alleges that her first husband, Henry M. Wills, their father, who seeks to annul the decree divorcing him, has failed to provide for them, as agreed, being $115 in arrears.

The petitioner was formerly Miss Zella Stelling of Tennessee, an elocutionist of note. In 1894 she married Wills; in April, 1899, she left him and in the following August secured a divorce. Then, in Memphis the following August, she married Robert R. Rhinehart, but soon secured a divorce. In February, 1904, she married Ramie.

After her marriage to Rhinehart, Wills filed suit to set aside the decree of divorce, alleging he was not notified of the petition, which was filed in Tennessee. Though his former wife has again been divorced and again married, this suit is still pending.

In October, 1902, Wills made an effort to secure the custody of the children, but failed to do so. The children have been at the Methodist Orphans' Home since June 20, 1902, by order of the court.

BARTENDER ABSENT AT ZOLEZZI HEARING

Man Who Showed Post-Dispatch Reporters to Cellar Craps Game Not a Witness.

Louis Zolezzi, proprietor of a saloon at the northeast corner of Seventh and Morgan streets, had a hearing before Excise Commissioner Mulvihill Wednesday, on the charge of having gambling there. As was told in the Post-Dispatch of April 10, he has been ordered to appear and show cause why his license should not be revoked.

Two Post-Dispatch reporters who had taken part in a craps game in the cellar under Zolezzi's saloon on the night of April 9 in the course of an investigation of the place, testified that when they entered the saloon the bartender volunteered the information that there was a craps game in the cellar and showed them the way down, explaining that there was no danger of the players being arrested because he controlled the lights from the bar and could give a warning signal if there was a raid.

They told of the locked door and the peephole in it, and of their admission on the assurance of the barkeeper to the doorkeeper that they were all right, of the game in which they took part and explained the house rake-off.

Zolezzi had no lawyer. Acting in that capacity for himself he asked if the table on which the game was described as having taken place was not a pool table. The answer was that it was impossible to play pool on it because there were no pockets.

Zolezzi said it was a pigeon pool table and started to explain what that was, but Mr. Mulvihill told him to wait until he was on the stand.

Capt. Johnson of the Fourth Police District told of having warned Zolezzi not to permit gambling at his place.

Detective Frank McKenna told of the bartender's admitting on April 10 that he let two men in the night before.

Zolezzi testified that he was not there Sunday night and if there was gambling there it was without his knowledge and against his orders. He had left positive instruction with the barkeeper not to permit any gambling. Mr. Zolezzi did not have his bartender at the hearing.

He said he had fixed up the room down stairs for men who wanted to have a sociable game of cards. There were also two pool tables down there. He said the bartender told him that the saloon was crowded Sunday night and he had sent the men who wanted to play cards down stairs for that reason. He explained that the switch under the bar was for the convenience of the bartender, enabling him to light up the room downstairs when men came up who wanted to play cards. The peephole in the door was there when he rented the place.

He was asked if he did not know it was against the law to permit gambling at his place. He said he knew it.

Mr. Mulvihill took the case under advisement.

St. Louis has more Post-Dispatch readers every day than it has homes.

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COACHMAN WEDS CARNEGIES NIECE; COUPLE IN EXILE

Steel King Admits Marriage of His Favorite Several Months Ago and Says the Family Prefer the Man to Any Title Wearer.

CHILD BORN TO COUPLE ON A EUROPEAN TRIP

Marriage Occurred in Private and Secret Has Just Leaked Out—Mohter of the Bride Said to Have Banished Her From Home.

Our niece, Nancy, was married more than a year ago to Mr. Hever and is very happy. We received her and her husband upon arrival from Europe Sunday last at our house. Her sister and two brothers came to New York to welcome the couple. My wife was on the pier to greet them, as were the others.

Mr. Hever is not rich, but he is a sober, moral, well-doing man, and the family would much rather have such a husband for Nancy than a worthless duke.

There is no truth whatever in the report that the family is unreconciled.

ANDREW CARNEGIE.

By Leased Wire From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, April 19.—Andrew Carnegie admitted today that his favorite niece, Nucy Carnegie, was married to James Hever, coachman for Miss Carnegie's mother, Mrs. Thomas Carnegie, of Pittsburg about a year ago.

The admission was made in response to a written request by the New York World that the truth or falsity of a report that Nancy Carnegie had eloped with the family coachman, be revealed.

Mr. Carnegie read the request, called for a sheet of paper and wrote out the statement given above.

Notwithstanding Mr. Carnegie's assertion of harmony, it is said in Pittsburg that Mrs. Carnegie, a woman of great determination and strength of character, has refused to become reconciled to the marriage of her daughter.

Hever is much older than his wife, and before he won the heart of the young heiress, was a widower with three children. Theer is another child in the family now—an infant which was born abroad.

Exiled From Mother's Home.

Pittsburg society understands that Mrs. Carnegie has agreed to provide a farm and substantial house in New Jersey for her daughter and son-in-lawk, provided they both remain away from Pittsburg, and give them the Thomas M. Carnegie estate on an Island off the coast of eGorgia. It will be noticed that Mr. Carnegie in his communication to the Evening World, makes no mentio nof the mother of his niece.

Thomas M. Carnegie, the father of Nancy, was associated with Andrew Carnegie in the steel and coke business. He died several years ago leaving a fortune well up in the millions. His widow is one of the best known womn in Pittsburg. Sh manages her own business affairs and is an enthusiast over outdoor sports.

Hever was in the employ of the family as coachman for years. He saw Nancy Carnegie grow from childhood into blushing maidenhood. In Pittsburg and on the winter estate in the south it was his duty to drive the young woman abroad, and the supposition is that the conversation of these occasions after the death of Mrs. Hever was more confidential than any one but the parties directly interested suspected.

Her Mother's Companion.

The two sons of Mrs. Thomas Carnegie were busy with business matters and her eldest daughter, Mrs. Frederick Perkins, had her own home in Pittsburg, therefore, Nancy was the constant companion of her mother as she went from place to place.

The young woman was beautiful and winsome and had many admirers among the financially solid youth of Pittsburg, but showed none of them any favoritism. On her visit to New York she moved in the best society. Her mother is the first woman ever admitted to membership in the New York Yacht Club, and is the owner of the beautiful steam yacht Dungeness.

It was the custom of Mrs. Carnegie to spend the winter months on her Georgia estate, Dungeness, an island off the Georgia coast, close to Jekyl Island. It is a fine game preserve, a feature most attractive to Mrs. Carnegie, who is a splendid shot with the rifle, revolver and shotgun.

Mr. Carnegie's refernce, in his note to the Evening World, to a "Worthless Duke," is interesting, in view of the fact that Nancy Carnegie was one of the maids of honor at the wedding of the Esarl of Yarmouth and Alice Thaw in Pittsburg two years ago.

In a supplementary statement issued later in the day Mr. Carnegie described his niece's husband as "A riding master in the family," and said Hever and his wife are now on a visit to New England. The wedding, according to Mr. Carnegie, took place in this city and was not attended by any member of the Carnegie family.

PENNIES LEAD TO ARREST FOR ROBBERY

Man Who Pays Railroad Fare With 124 Cents Accused of Looting Postoffice.

INSPECTOR ON THE TRAIN

Prisoner Carried Money Orders He Had Checked at Mulberry Grove Day Before.

The postoffice at Mulberry Grove, Ill., 40 miles from East St. Louis, was broken into and robbed Tuesday night, and, by a combination of circumstances, Postoffice Inspector Moore caught the trail of the man whom he believes to have committed the robbery and caused his arrest "with the goods on."

Postoffice Inspector Moore visited the Mulberry Grove postoffice Tuesday and checked up its money orders, stock of stamps, etc., taking a complete record of its financial condition. Wednesday morning he was on his way back to East St. Louis, having visited one or two other small postoffices in the meantime, when the conductor of the train came and sat down beside him.

"The postoffice at Mulberry Grove was robbed last night, I understand," said the conductor.

"Is that so?" said Postoffice Inspector Moore. "This is the first I've heard of it. I was at that postoffice only yesterday."

"Yes," continued the conductor, "and I thought it worth while to come and tell you that a man has just got on at a way station back there and has paid me his fare to East St. Louis, amounting to $1.24, in pennies. Perhaps he knows something about the robbery."

At the next station Postoffice Inspector Moore telegraphed to the police authorities at Collinsville, Ill., to meet the train and place under arrest on suspicion the man who would be identified by the train conductor. This was done and the inseptor accompanied the police and their prisoner to the station.

The prisoner gave his name as William French. On his person were found a number of money orders which Postoffice Inspector Moore identified as having been among those which he had checked over in the Mulberry Grove postoffice the preceding day; a quantity of stamps, several watches and chains, which are said to have been taken from the store in which the postoffice was located, skeleton keys, a dark lantern, a number of razors and a revolver. French was locked up in the Collinsville jail.

Deputy United States Marshal W. L. Ward of Collinsville accompanied Postoffice Inspector Moore to East St. Louis Wednesday afternoon and a warrant was sworn out against French. Deputy Marshal Ward will return to Collinsville with this warrant at 7 o'clock Wednesday night and take French in custody for the postoffice authorities.

WARRANTS FOR TWO FOR MOCK WEDDING

Men Said to Have Performed Ceremony for Henry E. Jobe Are Arrested.

Warrants were issued Wednesday afternoon charging William McQueen and Benjamin Bridges, arrested at 608 Rutger street Tuesday by Policeman Brannan, with performing a fictitious marriage in the case of Marie Kubik, the girl said to have been tricked into believing that she had been married to George H. Jobe according to law.

McQueen admits that he performed the ceremony, but declares that he thought the whole thing a joke. McQueen, he said, protested that he did not know the words of the marriage ceremony, but Jobe wrote them out for him and he held the page in a book.

McQueen says Jobe paid him $2 as a wedding fee, but he returned the money the next day. He says Bridges, who appeared as the witness to the mock marriage, told him that the day following the ceremony he told Miss Kubik that the whole affair was fictitious, but he learned later, he says, that Bridges paid a second visit to Miss Kubik and told her that his first statement was not true and that it was made to her only to prove the fullness of her confidence in Jobe.

The marriage certificate issued for the bogus marriage was burned, but Miss Kubik says that Jobe showed her a blank "church certificate," which, he said, would be filled out June 1.

BETTOR SAYS HE "WELCHED"

Alleged Handbook Man Arrested for Violating the Breeders' Law.

James Finnigan, who gives his address as 822 Morgan street, was arrested Wednesday on the charge of violating the breeders' law by operating a handbook. The complainant is Frank Fankel, who swore to the information on which a warrant was issued. Frankel says Nov. 22 last he made a $20 bet in Finnigan's book on a horse running at Oakland, Cal. The horse won, and next day Frankel tried to collect. He says Finnigan "welched," refusing to pay the loss. Frankel made complaint to the police, but left next day for New Orleans and has just returned. Finnigan is locked up.

TODAY'S NEWS IN BRIEF

TRANS-CONTINENTAL RAILROAD managers worried by prospect that Taft will reduce rates on Panama line.

ILLINOIS CITY ELECTIONS fought out mainly on saloon license issue.

FORMER ADJUTANT-GENERAL SHERMAN BELL of Colorado receives offer of the command of the Venezuelan army.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT sends courier out from hunting camp with bearskin and story of executive's doings.

NEW RADIUM TREATMENT is declared almost certain cure for cancer.

MRS. ANNIE DUNN of 26 South Twelfth street puts purse snatcher to flight with blow of her fist half block from police headquarters.

EDMOND BEALL, who believes in plenty of babies, elected mayor of Alton in exciting race.

STANLEY BURNS, aged 15, carried Geo. Krantz, another boy, two blocks to doctor after leg was broken by spokes of carriage.

MRS. ZELLA STELLING WILLS RINEHART RAMIE sues to get from Methodist Orphans' Home her children by first husband.

BURGLARY of Waterloo, Ill., store during night owner, John Grigg, sold it to James Fuss starts dispute as to whether Fuss or Grigg was robbed.

L. P. HEMM, Kirkwood druggist, disappears after telephoning wife he is on the way home.

SOUTH METHODIST CLERGYMEN in St. Louis conference overrule Dr. Osler holding man useful until 75.

SPEAKER MEEHAN announces committees of House of Delegates, making five re-elected delegates chairmen.

POLICE looking for man who pawned stolen goods come across twins and left it to the pawnbroker to identify right sons.

Broker Fined for Asking Women to "Have a Look" at "Monocle" He Wore

GEORGE H. HUTCHINSON.

FINE FOR MASHER WITH MONOCLE

George H. Hutchinson, St. Louis Broker, With Little Mirror at Eye, Accosted Women.

George H. Hutchinson, a broker, living at 5974 Wells avenue, was fined $25 in the City Hall Police Court Wednesday morning by Judge Tracy for disturbing the peace and "mashing."

Hutchinson was arrested Friday by Policeman Dueker of the Central district at Sixth and Olive streets. The policeman testified that he had seen Hutchinson annoy several women by lifting his hat and speaking to them, and by manipulating a small, round pocket mirror, which he screwed into his eye as a monocle, revealing the reverse side on which was the picture of a woman.

C. M. Van Dyke testified that he had seen Hutchinson bowing and speaking to women and had heard him say, "Take a look," as he put the mirror-monocle in his eye.

Amadee B. Cole, president of the John Jackson Investment Co., living at 3705 Lindell boulevard, testified in behalf of the defendant that he had known Hutchinson for many years, that defendant was a broker and so far as he knew had always behaved himself properly.

The defendant himself at first denied the charges brought against him, but finally admitted to the court that he had taken a few drinks and might have misbehaved himself somewhat thereafter.

Hutchinson paid the fine at once and left the court.

MAKES NO REPLY TO ALIENATION SUIT

The suit of Harry A. Kramer against Dr. Eugene A. Caulfield of 4406 Cote Brilliante avenue, asking $35,000 damages for alienation of his wife's affections, was placed on the default docket in Judge Taylor's division of the Circuit court Wednesday afternoon on motion of Attorney Charles W. Holtcamp, representing the plaintiff. The suit was filed Feb. 4, and Dr. Caulfield has not filed an answer.

Feb. 23 Mrs. Kramer filed a petition for divorce, and this was followed by the filing of a cross bill by her husband, in which he named Dr. Caulfield as co-respondent.

Mrs. Kramer did not appear in court when her case came up for trial and Kramer was granted a divorce. Immediately after the granting of the divorce Dr. Caulfield and Mrs. Kramer went to Illinois and were married.

In his cross bill Kramer alleged that he married Emma F. Hewitt on Feb. 18, 1893, and that in 1904 she met Dr. Caulfield and that he enticed her to leave her home, alienating her affections from her husband and ruining their home.

SHOT HIS WAY IN TO HAVE A DANCE

Thomas Maher Then Surprised to Find All Save He Had Fled.

The lid came off with a lot of fireworks at a dance house at 2641 Lucas avenue at 3:30 o'clock Wednesday morning, and as a result a man giving his name as Thomas Maher is locked up with half a dozen charges against him. These include assault to kill, carrying concealed weapons, discharging firearms, disturbing the peace, malicious destruction of property and drunk and disorderly.

Things were very quiet at the dance house before Maher hove in sight. The music of the two-step was stilled; the musician was dozing in an ante room; two men and their partners were sitting in a corner, and three women without partners were gossiping together.

There came a ring at the door bell, and Lena Good, manager of the dance hall, answered it. Mr. Maher was there, with a partner, and demanded possession of the ball room.

Mr. Maher's apparel was somewhat disarranged, his enunciation was opaque, and he wobbled unstendily as he stood on the front doorstep. Miss Good was not favorably impressed.

"Dancing is over for the night," she said, and slammed the door in Mr. Maher's face.

It required the brief fraction of a second for Mr. Maher to recover from the shock. Then he whisked a revolver from his private armory, backed off a few feet that he might get the proper perspective, and began to perforate a peculiar pattern around the door lock. One shot went wild and broke the stained glass panel of the door; the other shots went true, and the lock fell off and the door swung open.

Things inside the house were not inactive meantime, and when Mr. Maher, having secured entrance, got into the ballroom there was no one in sight.

Shot Out Lights.

Four incandescent electric lights blinked saucily at Mr. Maher. He reloaded his revolver and began to practice on them.

Four shots put them all out, and the ball room was in darkness.

Shrill voices were heard in the back part of the house. Mr. Maher proceeded to investigate. He forced open a closed door, and found six women huddled in the most remote corner.

"Come out of that," said Mr. Maher.

"Wow-wow!" came a shrill bark, and a small pet dog darted from behind the women's dresses and made for Mr. Maher's legs.

The busy revolver was put to work again, and the dog fell over, dead.

One of the women, Daisy Wilson, ran out a back door, screaming for the police. Mr. Maher hastily crowded a few cartridges into his revolver and started after her. He fired two shots, which did not take effect in anything so far found, and then returned to the house.

"Where's my partner?" he demanded in surprise. Nobody answered him, and the partner who had been with him at the front door was not to be found. She had fled at the first fire.

Mr. Maher was inclined to be peaceful, and was looking for a comfortable chair in which to go to sleep, when Policeman Egan arrived. The shots and the screams of Daisy Wilson had attracted him. He arrested Maher and, despite Mr. Maher's protestations that all he wanted was to go to sleep, took him to the Dayton Street Police Station.

While Mr. Maher slept in a cell, the police began to multiply the charges against him, and warrants will be applied for. The dance house is a wreck. Maher says he lives at 2619 North Prairie avenue and is a bartender.

JEFFERSON GAINS SLIGHTLY

Famous Actor's Condition Improves During Night and Physicians Encouraged.

WEST PALM BEACH, Fla., April 19.—This morning the condition of Joseph Jefferson, the actor, was reported better than yesterday. The distinguished patient rested comfortably during the night. The doctor is slightly encouraged.

OWNERS OF UNITED R'YS NOT FORCED TO TELL OF DEAL

C. W. Wetmore, President, and Other North American Officials as Witnesses in Hearing, Reveal Nothing.

DEFENSE IS SUSTAINED IN CELLA-ADLER-TILLES SUIT

Objections Upheld When President Is Asked to Tell If Company Is Incorporated or Number of Shares of Stock They Purchased.

An unsuccessful effort to learn from C. W. Wetmore, president; George R. Sheldon, treasurer, and John I. Beggs, director, of the North American Co., some details of that company's purchase of United Railways Co. stock was made before Special Master in Chancery Babbitt of the United States court Wednesday.

The effort was made by Judge Bond, attorney for Cella, Adler & Tilles, in their suit against Brown Bros. & Co. and others growing out of the absorption of the Transit company by the United Railways Co. last fall. Messrs. Wetmore, Sheldon and Beggs were subpenaed as witnesses just after they finished breakfast with Murray Carleton and A. D. Brown at the Jefferson Hotel Wednesday morning. They were ordered to appear in court at 9 o'clock; they got there at 11:35.

Mr. Carleton accompanied them, and seemed to be in a hurry. They walked once to the office of United States Minstoner Gray, where the hearing was being held, and their examination was immediately begun.

Mr. Wetmore was first to be called. He is about 45 years old, and was dressed in blue-black serge suit, with blue canvas shoes. His black hair was brushed back from a middle part, and his mustache flowed generously. He wore a brown derby.

Mr. Wetmore gave his residence as Lawrence, Long Island, and told of his official position with the North American Co.

"Is the North American Co. incorporated in Missouri?" he was asked.

Judge Priest, for the defense, immediately objected His objection was sustained.

"Since the issuance of the injunction in the pending suit," asked Judge Bond, "has the North American Co. bought any stock of the United Railways Co.?"

Judge Priest objected. He contended that Mr. Wetmore and the North American Co. were not parties to the suit, and such questions were not material. The objection was sustained.

The special master, in sustaining the objection, said he would exclude all testimony relative to the purchase by the North American Co. of United Railways stock from Brown Bros. & Co.

Judge Bond, however, made another effort.

"Were not the shares of stock purchased by your company identical with those purchased by Cella, Adler & Tilles?"

Judge Priest immediately objected, and the objection was sustained.

That was the last of the examination of Mr. Wetmore. He left the witness chair and went back to sit with Mr. Carleton.

Mr. Sheldon was next called, and Judge Bond immediately began an effort to establish whether the North American Co. had an office in St. Louis. Mr. Sheldon said there was no such office here; that the offices were in New York, and had been there since 1890.

"Do you expect to have an office in St. Louis after today?" asked Judge Bond, today being the time set for the formal transfer of possession of the street railway property.

Judge Priest objected, and the objection was sustained.

Purchase of Stock.

"Do you know anything of the shares of United Railways Co. stock purchased from Brown Bros.?" asked Judge Bond.

No objection was made, and the witness answered, "I do."

"Have you any of these shares?"

Again there was no objection, and the witness answered, "I have."

"How long have you had these shares?"

"A few weeks."

Judge Bond was becoming encouraged. He went further.

"How many of these shares have"—

"I object," cried Judge Priest. The objection was sustained.

"Did you know anything of this suit, now pending?"

"I had heard of it," said the witness.

"From whom did you hear of it?"

Objection. Sustained.

"When did you hear of it?"

Objection. Sustained.

"How did you hear of it?"

Objection. Sustained.

Mr. Sheldon was excused and Mr. Beggs took the stand. Judge Bond said, while he fully understood the ruling of the master that such questions would be excluded, he nevertheless wanted to go on record, and said he proposed to prove that, since the filing of the suit at issue the North American Co. had secured a majority of the stock of the United Railways Co., and that in the stock secured by it was the stock owned by Cella, Adler & Tilles, the voting power and disposal of which is the point at issue in the suit.

Several questions along this line were asked, but all were ruled out and formal exception taken by Judge Bond to the rulings.

The entire proceeding occupied 15 minutes, and at the end of that time all witnesses excused, hurried from the building.

JEFFRIES SUGGESTED UNITED RY. INVESTIGATION.

Attorney-General Hadley has not yet completed his investigation, told of in the Post-Dispatch yesterday, which was begun with a view to finding out whether the North American Co. of New Jersey complied with the Missouri corporation laws in its virtual absorption of the United Railways Co.

Former Assistant Attorney-General Jeffries suggested to Mr. Hadley, when the office changed hands recently, that the absorption might be in violation, in spirit and letter, of the Missouri laws governing corporations.

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ALEXANDER IS MADE PARTNER IN SYNDICATES

James H. Hyde Makes Public Letter Showing Equitable President Received Profits From Deals With Insurance Money.

AGENTS' DEATH EXCUSE TO SUSPEND HYDE MAN

Oldest Member of Field Force Removed Prior to Manager's Meeting Because Unfriendly to Executive Head, He Says.

By Leased Wire from the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, April 19.—James Hazen Hyde dealt a shocking blow to President Alexander of the Equitable Life this morning, thereby producing the daily scandal in the affairs of this unfortunate company. It is now a gutter fight between them, though there are those who believe it has been that from the start.

Mr. Hyde made public a letter he wrote Mr. Alexander Monday, in which he gave dates running from July 30, 1902, until Jan. 23, 1905, and amounts of eight checks sent Mr. Alexander in payment of Mr. Alexanders' share in the profits of the syndicate which had been selling securities to the Equitable. The total was $61,446.92, or the exact sum which Mr. Hyde had restored to the company.

A few hours after Mr. Hyde made public his letter, Mr. Alexander had given out a letter, also written Monday, to Chairman Frick of the Equitable investigation committee. In it Mr. Alexander had said: "I deny that I have ever knowingly participated in the profits of any syndicate formed for the purpose of underwriting bonds or securities of which the society was to become a purchaser. Mr. Hyde's statement to the contrary is incorrect.

"I do not know who composed the syndicate which Mr. Hyde describes as 'James H. Hyde and associates.' The records of this so-called syndicate are all in the possession of Mr. Hyde. I have been denied access to them, despite repeated requests for the facts which they contain.

"I have repeatedly stated to Mr. Hyde that I would not be a participant in any syndicate formed for the purpose of selling the securities underwritten by it to the society, and have cautioned him against involving himself in such participation.

Admits Receiving Checks.

"Early in January Mr. Hyde delivered to me two checks aggregating $40,000, which he stated were profits from my allotted participation in certain syndicates, which I found upon a prompt investigation had underwritten securities to be sold concurrently to the society.

"As soon as I learned this I declined to avail myself of these profits and forthwith turned the amount thereof over to the society's cashier, contrary to Mr. Hyde's intimation, and this before any controversy had arisen in the society and not upon advice of counsel, as stated in Mr. Hyde's letter, but solely upon my own judgment as to the propriety of the actions."

Mr. Hyde's letter shows these checks and also six other checks previously sent Mr. Alexander and which Mr. Alexander does not mention in his letter to Mr. Frick.

Mr. Alexander also forwarded to Mr. Frick a letter from Mr. Hyde, in which he said concerning the operation of syndicates:

"It never occurred to me until after our recent controversy had begun that any of these transactions were open to criticism. They were a mere continuation of a custom which I found in existence when I came into the society."

To this Mr. Alexander replied with a denial that any such custom had existed. In this same reply Mr. Alexander went for Mr. Hyde on account of the Cambon dinner, saying:

"As to the Cambon dinner, I must express my astonishment that it should have been treated as an advertising scheme, which was supposed to benefit the Equitable Society. Until I received your (Hyde's) letter, I always understood and believed that the dinner was given by yourself and Senator Depew as a personal and social compliment to the French ambassador. So the invitations read, and I personally accepted and attended as your guest on that supposition.

"How you came to charge this dinner to the society without the knowledge of the president is a subject upon which I ask information. As the president of the society I also ask you to let me know what, if any, other personal items you have paid for out of the funds of the society."

If anything were needed to show the chaotic conditions in the Equitable the necessity no longer exists. It was forthcoming this morning when the bald, cold-blooded charge was made that President Alexander used the dead body of a general agent as a cover for political wire pulling, and tried to get a staunch Hyde man away from town lest he use his efforts to prevent Mr. Alexander from accomplishing his purposes at the meeting of agents.

H. H. Knowles, the man in question, is responsible for the charge. Mr. Knowles, supervisor of agencies, is now under suspension by President Alexander on charges of insubordination. That insubordination, Mr. Knowles declares, consisted in his telling Mr. Alexander that he would not go out of town and attempt to send him would be merely a trick.

Mr. Uhlfelder, the general agent at Montgomery, Ala., dropped dead in this city last week. Mr. Knowles notified his family. Relatives wired him to turn the body over to other relatives here and expressed the opinion that it would not be necessary for him to accompany the body. The balance of the story is told by Mr. Knowles:

"But the Alexander-Tarbell people wanted me to go with the body last Tuesday afternoon. I was not to be found until after the body had gone.

Washington Realty Co. Dissolves.

The Washington Realty Co. was dissolved Wednesday by Judge Taylor of the Circuit Court. Petition for dissolution was made a few weeks ago, on the ground that the company had sold all the property it had owned. It was represented that there were no creditors and no incumbrances and the petition was signed by all of the stockholders. The company was incorporated June 28, 1895, with a capital stock of $25,000. Charles Parsons was the president, P. C. Maffitt vice-president, and A. L. Shapleigh, Thomas R. West and A. C. Stewart, directors.

TWO FAMOUS B'AR HUNTERS

WOMAN'S FIST PUTS ROBBER TO FLIGHT

Man Tugging at Her Pocketbook Runs When Struck Blow in Face.

IN SHADOW OF FOUR COURTS.

Returning From Calling Physician She Hears Him Following and Is Not Surprised.

The police have so far been unable to find any trace of the highwayman who attacked Mrs. Annie Dunn of 208 South Twelfth street in the rear of the City Hall and half a block from police headquarters, at 9 o'clock Tuesday night as she was returning to her home from adrug store at Center street and Clark avenue, where she had gone to summon a physician for her sister, Miss Dona Elton, who was ill.

As Mrs. Dunn walked west on Clark avenue toward Twelfth street, on the south side of the City Hall, she noticed that a man was following close behind her.

When she reached the center of the block he caught up with her and grabbed at her hand bag, which was stuffed partly in her jacket sleeve with the chain wound around her left wrist.

When the thief saw that the chain was holding the purse he gave a hard pull that only made Mrs. Dunn hold on the tighter.

With her free right hand she struck the robber a hard blow, in the face. The man then released his hold and ran west on Clark avenue.

Mrs. Dunn says the man was young, clean-shaven, about 5 feet 6 inches in height and wore a dark suit and slouch hat.

There was $3 in change in the hand bag.

Mrs. Dunn hurried home and told her husband of the attack and the police were notified.

HEARING THROWS LITTLE LIGHT ON UNITED RY'S DEAL

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porations, on the ground that it was contrary to public policy for a foreign corporation, not chartered under the laws of Missouri to own the majority of the stock in a Missouri corporation.

"Such a corporation," said Mr. Jeffries to Mr. Hadley, "when it purchases the majority stock of a Missouri corporation, is in the same position as a corporation doing business in the state."

Mr. Jeffries also pointed out that possibly Mr. Hadley could annul the charter of the United Railways Co. if that corporation disposed of its stock to another corporation.

Mr. Hadley promised to act upon this suggestion, and subsequently came to St. Louis to ascertain certain facts in connection with the North American deal. The pressure of other business, however, prevented him from getting all the information he wanted.

John I. Beggs, the director of the North American Co. who will be president of the United Railways Co. under the new ownership, was asked Wednesday if the North American Co. would file with the secretary of state articles of incorporation in Missouri.

"No," he answered; "we do not have to do that. The North American Co. is a foreign corporation and not amenable to the Missouri statutes."

The statutes provide that all foreign corporations "doing business" in Missouri shall file copies of their articles of incorporation. This has not been done by the North American.

MEET TO RATIFY SALE OF UNITED RAILWAYS CO.

The board of directors of the United Railways Co. met at 3 o'clock this afternoon in the offices of the company in the Security building, with officers of the North American Co. to ratify the sale by Brown Bros. & Co., agents for the stockholders, of a majority of the stock in the United Railways Co. to the North American Co.

The North American Co. officials present were C. W. Wetmore, president; George R. Sheldon, treasurer, and John I. Beggs, director. Mr. Beggs will succeed Murray Carleton as president of the company under the new management. The statement is made that Capt. Robert McCulloch will continue as vice-president and general manager, and that few changes will be made in the operating department.

EXPECT TAFT TO LOWER RATES ON PANAMA SYSTEM

Magnates of Big Railroad Systems Fearful of Action of Secretary of War Which Will Benefit Others, but Will Injure Them.

By Special Wire From Washington Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, April 19.—The biggest problem on the minds of the owners of the giant transcontinental railroad lines today is Secretary of War William H. Taft.

That he is such a problem is due to the activity and the evident determination he has shown in connection with his reform management of the Panama railroad, the property recently acquired by the United States government, from the private corporation which had been mismanaging it.

The manipulation of this little railroad, but 46 miles in length, yet with one exception the only one on the North American continent to extend from coast to coast, has been the means of turning thousands upon thousands of dollars of business annually to the big Hill and Harriman transcontinental railway systems.

Make Rates Exorbitant.

The process was a simple one. It consisted of making the rates over the Panama road so exorbitant that shippers could better afford to send their stuff across the continent—and even around Cape Horn sometimes—than to ship it over the Isthmus route.

An example of the "gouge" of the present system is shown in the handling of coal. A quality of coal worth $5 a ton on shipboard at the harbor at the east end of the railroad is worth twice that amount half a dozen miles inland as a result of the exorbitant charges by the railroads and docks.

Secretary Taft has indicated his intention of installing a fair rate of tariff on the government steamship and railroad lines and of giving businesslike and economical management. It is his very evident intention to make good his promises, after an investigation, that is worrying the railroad magnates.

It is the intention of the secretary, who is the real head of the railway and transportation lines, to reduce the rates for hauling stuff over the road, lower the port charges, double-track the line and in as many ways as possible anticipate the use of the canal.

He has stated that more steamships will be built between the isthmus and New York and the isthmus and San Francisco, and that it is quite probable that a line will be run to New Orleans to accommodate the Mississippi Valley business.

The action is bound to divert much of the business that now makes the long land haul across the continent, through the canal zone, to the loss of the transcontinental railways. As a result it is not hard to account for the present endeavor of the railway systems to prove the unconstitutionality of the government's action in operating a business in opposition to a private enterprise.

HUSBAND MISSING 7 YEARS.

Mrs. Kennedy Given Judgment for $2000 Insurance.

Acting on the assumption which the law holds, that a man from whom no tidings has been received for seven years is dead, Judge Taylor of the Circuit court gave a judgment Wednesday against the Grand Lodge of the Ancient Order of United Workmen for $2000.

The case was one in which Mrs. Mary Kennedy of 2005 Menard street sued on a benefit certificate held in the order by her husband, John Kennedy. On Sept. 20, 1897, he left home, after kissing his daughter, Margaret, good-by, telling her that he had to make a journey of 25 miles into the country and for her to tell her mother, who was out at the time, that he would be back at night or the following night. No tidings have ever been received from him. The defense was merely that there was no proof of death, but Judge Taylor held that the legal assumption was sufficient.

Funeral of Mrs. Zens.

The funeral of Mrs. Mary Zens, who died Tuesday of heart disease at her home, 2139 Sidney street, will be held Thursday afternoon from St. Agnes' Church, Salena and Sidney streets. Rev. Father Tannrath will officiate. Mrs. Zens had been a resident of St. Louis for 30 years. She is survived by her husband, Charles Zens, three daughters and one son.

BOY BORE INJURED LAD TO A DOCTOR

Stanley Burns Found Geo. Krantz With Broken Leg, Carried Him Two Blocks.

"HUNG ON" A CARRIAGE

Foot Swung Between Spokes and He Was Drawn Around Axle.

When George Krantz of Belleville was hurt action was needed, and Stanley Burns supplied it.

Although but little larger than the injured boy, Stanley shouldered him and carried him nearly two blocks to the office of a physician.

George Krantz is 8 years old. He lives with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Krantz, on South Richland street. On his way to school he "hung on" the carriage of William Winkelmann, which was going north on Illinois street toward the Central School. He noticed that there was some space between the body of the carriage and the wheels and drew himself up astride of the axle, with his back to the wheel.

The peculiar position in which he was riding attracted the attention of the children in the school yard and they shouted at him. Not thinking of the danger, he began to swing his feet. His left foot was caught between the spokes. His leg was twisted around the axle and the bone was snapped above the knee.

Mr. Winkelmann heard the cries of horror of the children in the schoolyard and noticed that they were looking toward his carriage, and called to his coachman to stop.

Stanley Burns is 15 years old, small for his age, but sturdy. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Burns of South Chestnut street. He was a block away. He saw that something had happened and ran with others to the spot. George was lying in the street screaming with pain and terror. It was plain that he was badly hurt.

His first impulse was to carry him across the school yard to the office of a doctor on High street, but a glance at the crowd of children in the yard convinced him that this would not do. He picked up the screaming boy and "shouldered" him and, though he staggered under the load, he almost ran up to Second street and East to the office of Dr. A. M. Scheel.

The doctor called an ambulance, and as soon as possible had the boy taken to his home, where the broken leg was set.

Short on Talk.

From the Detroit Free Press.

Old Chum: Does you little girl take after her mother?

Married Man: Not especially; she's three years old and can't talk more than half a dozen words.

In dress is not necessarily expensive taste. The Croak method is not only reasonable—it is more than that—it is economical.

You need not pay high prices for the best. We are prepared to fill your order for Spring Suit promptly and satisfactorily—materials, the best and Croak inimitable style, single or double breasted to your measure, $25 to $60.

M. E. Croak & Co.
TENTH AND OLIVE STS.

LOOK TO RIVER FOR BODY OF WM. SURBLED

Son Convinced His Aged Father Fell or Jumped From Lower Deck of Steamer Stacker Lee Into the Mississippi.

TOOK PASSAGE ON APRIL 4 UNDER NAME EMIL DURANT

No Motive for Ending Life Known, and No Trace of $800 or $1000 He Is Believed to Have Carried With Him.

Evidence discovered Tuesday afternoon by Wm. Surbled, Jr., forces him to the belief that his father, Wm. Surbled, Sr., 79 years old, disappeared from his home, 2910 aLclede avenue, the afternoon of April 4, is dead.

He expects that his body, if it is ever found, will be taken from the Mississippi river between Widow Northrup's place, a landing fifteen miles below St. Louis, and Ste. Genevieve, 35 miles further downstream.

He has become convinced that his father, on the night of his disappearance, either fell from or jumped from the lower deck of the steamer Stacker Lee between those two points.

It has been established positively that Mr. Surbled took passage on the steamer Stacker Lee at St. Louis the afternoon of April 4, registering under the name of Emile Durant; that he was seen on board the boat about the time the boat left Widow Northrup's place, about 8 o'clock; and that he was not seen afterward. His cane, of dark, knotted wood with a bent handle, has been found in the stateroom which he occupied, and one man who knew him and others who recognized the description and pictures of him have positively identified the passenger, Durant, as the missing man, Surbled.

No motive for suicide has been discovered, and no trace of a sum of money, between $800 and $1000, which it is believed he had, has been found. Those who saw him on the boat say he was nervous, but rational.

The son, with his attorney, J. Frank Merryman, conducted the investigation on the Stacker Lee while the steamer was tied up at the foot of Olive street Tuesday afternoon.

They had, as has been told in the Post-Dispatch, the information that Mr. Surbled had been seen and talked with at Sixth and Market streets by an old friend, and that an old man answering his description had been seen on the levee near the Lee Line wharf at the foot of Olive street.

From the porter of the boat, they found the same old man had gone on board about 3 o'clock, saying he wanted to go to St. Genevieve. At the porter's request he wrote the name Emile Durant on a slip of paper and went with the porter to the clerk's desk.

The slip was given to the first clerk, J. J. Herman, who registered the name and assigned the passenger to stateroom No. 2, after he paid the fare, $1.50. The old man carried a light cane. Herman identified the photograph of Mr. Surbled as that of the passenger. He had a French accent. Herman did not recall having seen the passenger afterward. The boat left St. Louis at 5:15. At 6.55 it tied up at Widow Northrup's place because of a broken piece of machinery and remained there until 7.55. St. Genevieve was reached at 10:10 o'clock and Herman sent the porter to No. 2 to assist the passenger in getting off. The porter reported that he was not to be found.

William W. Berry, barber on the boat, who had known Mr. Surbled for 40 years, said he saw him sitting in the cabin in front of stateroom No. 9 about 3:30 o'clock and shook hands with him. He appeared to be nervous, but called Berry by name and was entirely rational. At 6 o'clock, while the boat was under way, Berry went to look for Mr. Surbled to take him to supper. He could not find him.

Fred T. Worley, steward, told of seeing Mr. Surbled before the boat left St. Louis and noticing his French accent and the cane he carried. Next morning he found the cane in stateroom No. 2.

John C. French, second steward, saw Mr. Surbled later than any one else who has yet been found. About the time the boat left the Northrup place French was going downstairs with supplies. The stairway was narrow. Near the bottom was a small landing, protected by a low railing. Swinging doors opened from the stairway upon this landing. Surbled was obstructing these doors as French came down and French asked him to step aside. He did so, and French passed on into the engine room.

This landing was but a few feet from the river, and it would have been an easy matter for a man, even thought he did not possess the strength to leap or climb over the low railing, to lean over it and fall into the river.

William Surbled, Jr., believes that this is what his father did, either accidentally or purposely.

No one on the boat has been found who saw him later than the time told of by French. It is believed he wandered to the landing, either through confusion or for the purpose of dropping from it into the river.

The son has notified officials down the river to be on the lookout for the body of his father. He offers a reward of $50 for its recovery.

There is much mystery as to what became of between $800 and $1000 which the old men had shortly before his death. This sum represented his income from the rent of his house during the World's Fair. His family did not know he had it about the house until a few days before his disappearance. Then a daughter saw him counting the money. Since his disappearance a careful search for it has been made, but it has not been found. It is believed the old man had this money with him when he left.

No reason is known either for Mr. Surbled taking the name of Durant or for taking passage to St. Genevieve.

Burnett's Vanilla Extract
Is sold by all the best grocers everywhere; try it.

G. Y. Salmon Married.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEVADA, Mo., April 19.—George Y. Salmon, Jr., son of Dr. Salmon, banker and politician of Clinton, and Miss Ruth Barcafer of that place, were married here this morning by Probate Judge Myers.

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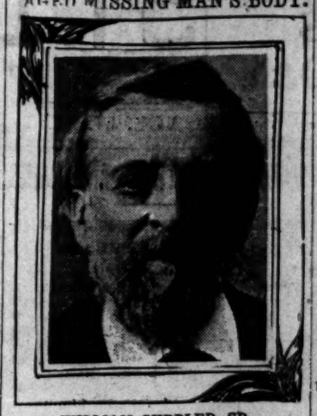
C—styles in women's shoes at ... e.

SEARCH MISSISSIPPI FOR AGED MISSING MAN'S BODY.



WILLIAM SURBLED, SR.

SCHOOLS TO FORM BY CHORUS.

Feature of Union Festival Will Be Songs by Four Thousand.

A chorus of 4000 voices will be the feature of the union festival of public schools whih will be held this year May 27, at the old Fair Grounds under the auspices of the Teachers' Benevolent Annuity Association.

The event will be similar to the one conducted several years ago with a number of novel features as added attractions. The mass committee on ways and means met Tuesday and appointed the following general chairmen:

Tickets and badges, Miss Sallie Stephens; music, Miss L. Stanley Crouther; calisthenics, Miss T. C. Gecks; amusements, A. H. Noel; publicity, Miss L. H. Miller; decorations, Miss Margaret Sullivan; gate receipts, W. P. Evans; programs, Miss Amelia Meissner; privileges, Peter Herzog; colored schools, E. S. Williams.

NAN PATTERSON IS PICKING HER JURY

Actress Personally Directs Choice of Men Who Will Try Her for Cesar Young's Murder.

THREE TALESMEN ACCEPTED

Each Side Is Using Great Care in Making Selections and Entire Venire Will Be Used.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, April 19.—When the case of Nan Patterson, the actress, on trial for the murder of Cesar Young, was resumed before Recorder Goff this morning, the work of selecting nine more jurors was begun.

Three of the required 12 men had been selected last evening at the hour of adjournment, and it is expected that the tedious task will be completed today, though both sides are examining each talesman carefully, and each promises to exhaust its allowed 30 challenges.

The men already chosen are Lovell M. Aldrich, an ice dealer, 48 years old; John H. Splint, a tea and coffee merchant, aged 63 years, and Julius Goldstone, 38, a silk manufacturer.

A venire of 200 talesmen was summoned, and it begins to look as though the number would be exhausted, five of them being rejected before the first was selected.

Miss Patterson is personally directing the selection of her jury, and each talesman is subjected to a close scrutiny by the former actress. All of those dismissed yesterday were relieved because of the actress' objections.

From the Washington Star.

"Do you think the average of human wisdom is growing higher?"

"No," answred the gloomy-looking man. "The races keep coming along every spring and fall just as usual."

Scruggs Vandervoort & Barney

Women's Neckwear Now in Vogue

This morning's arrival of new Neckwear will add much to that already here.

Stocks, Collar and Cuff Sets, Yokes, Ruffs, Chemisettes, Guimpes, Feather Boas, etc.

Chemisettes are extremely popular; they appear on all sorts of frocks from the morning shirt waist suit to the ceremonious visiting toilet or dinner gowns.

Whether broadly in evidence or only as a narrow line, in any and all forms, the Chemisettes are the mode; some are lingerie effects, some with transparent collar and some finished with Dutch neck.

Exquisite creations in all Neckpieces from 25c up to $75 each.

Lingerie Blouses—Most Fashionable

The sheer lingerie Blouses are dainty with embroidery and inserting of lace. Because of fineness and delicacy the prices necessarily run high, but there are less expensive garments with practically the same effect.

Blouses of fine mull with no trimming but a multitude of tiny tucks and a fine Valenciennes frill at throat and wrists — very chic and not expensive.

Parasols and Sunshades

Plain effects and stripes, all prominent, among the most desirable creations for summer. The new "hunter's green," strictly in vogue; new blue, brown, lavender and reds, also grays, have their place .....$3.00 up to $7.50

Also

Trimmed parasols—the hand painted chiffon and plain chiffons, $6.50 up to $16.50

Paris Veils

All the newest colorings and styles for spring and summer—latest creations direct from Paris. Delicate shades and contrasting borders lend novelty and attractiveness.

Draped Veils

Popular for the artistic effects are elaborately displayed, many in exclusive designs...$1.00 up to $7.50

Shirt-Waist Blousers

Lawn, four hemstitched ruffles, ribbon beading drawn with ribbon, 75c

Dimity, four ruffles, edged with dainty Val. lace.....75c

Dotted Swiss, ruffles edged with Val. lace, ribbon and beading....80c

Fine dotted Swiss, four full ruffles with Val. lace.....$1.00

White silk ribbon girdles in all sizes, and Tape Girdles with hose supporters attached.....$1.00

For Men

A splendid stock—most complete and thoroughly prepared. Late novelties brought on specially for present season's demands.

Waistcoats

Of most desirable styles. Latest patterns for Spring.

White, with neat black figures and striped; nobby; sizes 34 to 42; exceptional values at $1.25, $1.50, $2.00.

Also

A full assortment of better qualities in exclusive novelties up to $6.00.

Cravats

Best display this season. Everything desirable in Neckwear.

For immediate selection — beautiful new designs, very exclusive; desirable as gifts, neatly boxed; the selection is superb, 50c and $1.00 each.

New

Four-in-hands show many interesting designs (greatly in vogue this season).

WHITE PLAITED SHIRTS—Manufactured expressly for this store—cuffs attached or separate; sizes 13½ to 17.....$1.25

Scruggs Vandervoort & Barney

COURT CLERK DARES JUDGE TO FINE HIM

Pollard Orders Attache to Stop Talking and Lively Tilt Follows.

Judge Pollard and Clerk Carter of the Dayton street police court had a lively exchange of words Wednesday morning, threatening for a time to end in the fining of the clerk for contempt, but the crisis finally passed without such action being taken.

The trouble arose from Clerk Carter's audible complaints when Judge Pollard continued nine cases to Saturday, thereby insuring an especially busy day for the close of the week, when baseball games and other diversions are particularly tempting in their afternoon appeal.

"You must stop talking," he said. "You have no more right to disturb this court than any other person in the court."

"I won't stop talking," retorted the clerk. "And you can't make me stop."

"I'll fine you!" cried Judge Pollard. "I am the judge of this court, and if you disobey me I'll fine you!"

"Go ahead and fine!" was Clerk Carter's answer. "But you can't make me stop talking till I'm good and ready."

For a moment it looked as if all sorts of financial penalties were about to be heaped on Clerk Carter's rebellious head, but there was a pause in the swift exchange of words just then and the anger of the judge and the aggrieved resentment of the clerk seemed to simmer down simultaneously.

Nothing more was said and the incident closed without further action.

The "Knickerbocker Special," St. Louis to New York via Big Four, has through sleepers, dining cars, library, cafe cars. Also barber shop and bath. Get tickets Broadway and Chestnut streets, St. Louis.

St. Louis has more Post-Dispatch readers every day than it has homes.
"First in everything."

TWIN PRISONERS PUZZLED POLICE

Man Wanted for Pawning Stolen Goods and They Found Two of Him.

Twin brothers presented a puzzling proposition to Detectives Dotzman and Shannon Wednesday. The detectives were looking for one of the brothers, and when they found both, did not know which they wanted. So they took both.

One of the brothers is Frank Hudson. It is charged that a day or two ago he pawned some clothing which was later identified as having been stolen from the residence of Zeidel Snyder, 907 Biddle street. The detectives got a description of the man who pawned the goods and went to look for him.

At Eighth and Biddle streets Wednesday morning they found both him and his double. The trouble was they did not know which was Frank and which was the double. They were afraid the pawnbroker would not be able to tell the difference, either, so they arrested both men.

The pawnbroker positively identified Frank by the clothing he wore, and a warrant charging him with grand larceny will be asked for. George, the brother, is held on a charge of idling, and will be sent to the Police court Thursday.

St. Louis has more Post-Dispatch readers every day than it has homes.
"First in everything."

Wanted to Know.

From the Pittsburg Post.

"My man," said the tall, thin, gentleman, "here is a nickel for you."

"One question, sir," replied Tired Tiffins. "Are you Mr. Rockefeller?"

"Why, no."

"Den I accept your gift with pleasure, sir."

VANDERBILT PAYS FINE FOR SPEEDING

Judge Refuses to Impose Maximum Penalty of $100 on Rich New Yorker.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, April 19.—Shortly before Harlem Police court was about to adjourn yesterday afternoon, and while a case was being tried, a tall, well-dressed young man, accompanied by an elderly gentleman, walked briskly into the courtroom.

The young man remained in the rear, seating himself on one of the long wooden benches with a bored, let's-get-it-over-quick expression, while his companion stepped forward to the front of the courtroom.

Suddenly the district attorney, noticing the elderly gentleman, beckoned to him. At the same moment the trial before the court stopped. There was a moment's conversation between the district attorney and the elderly gentleman and then the young man in the rear was motioned to come forward.

They approached the court and the elderly gentleman said: "Your honor, I desire to enter a plea of guilty for my client."

Meanwhile the case before the court continued to wait.

"The fine is $25," was the court's response to the elderly gentleman.

Whereupon the young man who stood by his side reached into his pocket and produced a big roll of yellow bills. He stripped off a twenty and a five and handed them to a clerk. The bored expression still was visible on his face. Then he turned and spectators in the courtroom recognized Alfred Gwynne Vanderbilt. The elderly gentleman with him was his counsel, Henry B. Anderson, one of New York's eminent corporation attorneys.

The fine was imposed for violating the speed ordinances relating to automobiles. Since the auto "season" began scores of pedestrians have been run down and injured by the motor vehicles of the rich.

The maximum penalty is $100 fine. But that is excessive, think Harlem Police court judges, evidently, even if the offender has millions.

STATE PAPERS SENT TO CAMP ROOSEVELT

Secretary Loeb Takes to Hunting Trail With Documents Which President Must Sign.

FIRST BULLETIN ISSUED.

Bear Pelt and First-Hand Account of Executive's Doings Sent Out by Courier.

GLENWOOD SPRINGS, Colo., April 19.—Secretary Loeb took the hunting trail today, with President Roosevelt as his quarry. He has state papers on which the executive's signature is necessary. The secretary will spend the night in camp with the President on Penny's ranch and return with the signed documents tomorrow.

Mr. Roosevelt sent out the first official statement of his deeds in the hunting field, together with the pelt of a big black bear, by courier yesterday.

Elmer Chapman, the courier, was selected especially for his taciturnity. The President told the newspaper men to stick to Secretary Loeb—that the latter would give them the first news of the hunt. Several of the correspondents preferred to wait at Newcastle, however. To protect the Glenwood Springs contingent Mr. Roosevelt warned Chapman to give out no story until after reporting to Secretary Loeb. Chapman carried out his orders to the letter. But after the dispatches and bear skin had been delivered to the secretary the courier unbosomed himself.

"Say, fellows, the President's a beaut and no mistake," he said. "The way he scents game would make you think he was born in the mountains. Goff said he was the real thing and didn't need showing, but I don't believe it."

The official statement issued by Secretary Loeb was as follows:

"Elmer Chapman, a courier from the President's camp, arrived this evening. He reported everybody well at the camp and having a fine time.

"Monday afternoon the dogs tracked a big black bear. He was so big that he would not tree, but made a walking bay, killing one dog and wounding half a dozen. By hard scrambling up the mountainside the President got near enough to shoot him. Chapman brought the hide with him and left it at a local taxidermist's to be mounted.

"Dr. Lamber shot a bobcat, which was also left at the taxidermist's."

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IN SOCIETY

One of the pretty home weddings of this week was that of Miss Agnes Brown to Renwick Cathcart, Friday evening. The ceremony was performed by Dr. A. M. Campbell of Wagoner Place U. P. Church, at the home of the bride's parents, 5222 Cote Brilliante avenue. Later in the evening Mr. and Mrs. Cathcart left for a trip to California, expecting to be at home in St. Louis about July 15.

Tucker-Foster Engagement.

The engagement of Miss Irene Foster and Charles Tucker, both of St. Louis, was announced at a family dinner given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Kupferle of Lindell boulevard. The wedding will be solemnized during the early summer months.

Luncheon for Miss Worthington.

Miss Henrietta Worthington was the guest of honor at a pretty luncheon given by her aunt, Mrs. Leroy B. Valliant, Monday afternoon. The guests were limited to the members of Miss Worthington's class of Hosmer Hall. The table was simply arranged with spring flowers and Japanese favors, which were given to each guest as souvenirs. Some of the guests were: Misses Rennie Kessler, Elsie Kessler, Myrtle Sutter, Irma Krouse, Eva Pullis, Bessie Stringfelder, Alma Wise.

Miss Bessie Maxwell will entertain the members of the Brown-Bonties wedding party with a dancing party at the Glen Echo Club Wednesday evening.

Miss Florence Newby will be entertained by Mrs. A. J. Rogers and Mrs. John Broderick and her daughter, Miss Angela Broderick Wednesday afternoon with a card party. Miss Newby will be one of the Easter Week brides. She will be married in the afternoon of April 26 to John H. Anderson.

Monday afternoon, April 24, the ladies of the Artists' Guild will give a tea at their club rooms in Locust street. The reception hours are from 3 to 6 o'clock.

John Tower's Musicale.

One of the interesting musicales of the week was given by John Tower and his pupils at Bollman's Recital Hall Tuesday evening. The following is the program. Those taking part were: Mr. Towers, Miss Ida Missildine, Mrs. Mabel L. Edwards, Miss Florence Pabst, Miss Ariel F. Gross, Miss Sara I. Summers, Miss Una E. Ford, Miss Edna G. Shea, Mr. H. Wallace and Miss Edith Taylor.

Miss Gertrude Ballard and her fiance, Thomas Anderson, were the guests of honor at a family dinner party given by Mr. and Mrs. James Franklin Ballard of Washington boulevard. The other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Hinman Clark, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Ballard.

Mrs. Oliver Garrison will receive Monday and Tuesday afternoons in honor of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Oliver Garrison, Jr., at her residence in Westminster Place.

Mrs. Eugene Abadie of Washington boulevard returned home last week from San Antonio, Tex., where she has been spending the past two months with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Pierre Bremond.

Miller Farewell Party.

Mrs. George W. Miller of 2176 Porter avenue gave a farewell party in honor of her daughter, Mrs. Arnold M. Leach, who denies, Kate Julick, Mae Baird of Wilburton, Ind. Those present: Mmes. John Heisel, George Zachles, John Lisher, Krentz, Lon Wagstaff, Watson Giles, Reeves, John Kendall, Ed Saunders, Milton Cockran, John Koler, Fred Wendt, Marie Gramms, George Miller, Arnold Leach; Misses Alice Hawkins, aKte Julick, aMe Baird of Wilburton, I. T.; Lotta Miller, Amelia Koler, Josie Miller, Grace Cunningham.

Miss Norwood of 4606 Washington boulevard has issued cards for a reception she will give at her home Friday evening. She will be assisted by Mrs. J. R. Kemp.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Selig of 5181 Morgan street will be at home Tuesday evening, April 25, in honor of their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary. No cards.

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HANDSOME HOME FOR TUSCAN LODGE

A., F. & A. M. Order to Erect Building at Westminster and King's Highway

A $50,000 building, to be used solely and exclusively for lodge purposes, will be erected by Tuscan Lodge, No. 360, A. F. and A. M., at Westminster place and King's Highway boulevard.

William N. McConkin, master of Tuscan Lodge, and Isaac Hedges, acting for the lodge, have bought the northwest corner at the location, extending 230 feet on Westminster place and 150 feet on King's highway.

The sale took place Wednesday morning and was made by the Mercantile Trust Co. The price paid was $35,000.

The property lies between the new Christian Science Church and the splendid structure of St. John's M. E. Church.

Opposite the site, on the east side of King's highway, lies the property on which the congregation of the Second Baptist Church will build.

Nearby is the Washington Hotel, and on the south are the Usona Hotel and the entrances to Portland and Westmoreland places.

No part of the new building will be rented. The first floor will be devoted to social features and the second to lodge meetings.

For many years Tuscan Lodge has occupied the third floor of the building at the northeast corner of Leffingwell and Washington avenues, but the membership has outgrown those quarters.

The majority of the members reside in the territory contiguous to the new location.

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Crystallized Poison!

Your blood is always full of poison—the poison you eat and drink and breathe into your system. It is the purpose of the blood to absorb and carry off this very poison. And the kidneys, which are the blood filters, are expected to cleanse the blood and send it back through the system clean, to gather more poison which they in turn will eliminate.

But sometimes the kidneys fail. And sometimes from some other cause, the blood gets so full of poison that they cannot absorb it all. This is the start of Rheumatism. The poison accumulates and crystallizes. The crystals look like little grains of sugar or of fine white sand. The blood carries them and they increase in size. Then, when it can carry them no longer, it deposits them in a joint—on a bone—anywhere.

The twinge in your leg—the dull ache in your arm on a rainy day—these are the outward signs of the unseen crystals. And the twisted limbs and unspeakable anguish of the sufferer who has allowed his symptoms to go unheeded and unattended for years—these are the evidences of what Rheumatism, neglected, can do.

Rheumatism includes lumbago, sciatica, neuralgia, gout—for all these are the results of rheumatic poison in the blood.

Plainly, the first thing to do is to remove the poison. But this is not enough. The formation of the poison must be stopped, so that nature may have a chance to dissolve and eliminate the crystals which have already formed. Unless this is done there can be no cure—no permanent relief.

I searched the whole earth for a specific for Rheumatism—something that I or any physician could feel safe in prescribing—something that we could count on not only occasionally, but ALWAYS. For the ravages of Rheumatism are everywhere and genuine relief is rare.

I spent twenty years in experimenting before I felt satisfied that I had a certain remedy for this dread disease—a remedy which would not only clean out the poison, but one which would stop its formation.

Certain Relief

The secret lay in a wonderful chemical I found in Germany. When I found this chemical, I knew that I could make a Rheumatic cure that would be practically certain. But even then, before I made an announcement—before I was willing to put my name on it—I made more than 2000 tests! And my failures were but 2 per cent.

This German chemical is not the only ingredient I use in Dr. Shoop's Rheumatic Cure—but it made the remedy possible—made possible an achievement which, I doubt not, could have been made in no other way.

This chemical was very expensive. The duty, too, was high. In all it cost me $4.00 per pound. But what is $4.00 per pound for a REAL remedy for the world's most painful disease—for a REAL relief from the greatest torture human beings know?

I don't mean that Dr. Shoop's Rheumatic Cure can turn bony joints into flesh again—that is impossible. But it will drive from the blood the poison that causes pain and swelling, and then that is the end of the pain and swelling—the end of the suffering—the end of Rheumatism. That is why I can afford to make this liberal offer—that is why I can afford to spend the FIRST dollar that Rheumatic sufferers, the world over, may learn of my remedy.

Simply Write Me

The offer is open to everyone, everywhere, who has not tried my remedy. But you must write ME for the free dollar package order. I will send you an order on your druggist which he will accept as gladly as he would accept a dollar. He will hand you from his shelves a standard-sized package and he will send the bill to me. There are no conditions—no requirements. All that I ask you to do is to write—write today. I will send you my book on Rheumatism beside. It is free. It will help you to understand your case. Address Dr. Shoop, box C 683, Racine, Wis.

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YOU Should put a gas range in your kitchen. The prices were never before so low, nor the terms so easy. The cost shall not stand between you and gas range comfort: and we know nothing else can. Order a 16-inch gas range for $15.00. Pay for it $3.00 with order, balance $1.00 monthly with gas bill. **NOW**

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$5 for $10 Swell Silk Suits

Also Nobby All-Wool Mixtures for Ladies and Misses!

This lot consists of Ladies' and Misses' Suits in fancy mixtures, cheviots, broadcloths, taffeta silks, brilliantines, all handsomely trimmed in the most stylish effects. The jackets are made in tight-fitting or blouse effects, new sleeve, some satin lined. The silk suits come in all colors and are made in shirt waist style with shirred yoke and beautiful shirred flounce. They're worth up to $12—choice TOMORROW ONLY..... **$5**

1.50 For Beautiful 2.50 Jap Silk Waists!

Special for Thursday—Just 200 of them; neatly tucked and trimmed with Val. lace; leg-o'-mutton sleeve; don't miss seeing them, for only..... **1.50**

Exquisite Confirmation Dresses!

Tomorrow we offer a very beautiful Persian Lawn Dress; yoke handsomely trimmed with Valenciennes lace and satin ribbon; a perfect little beauty; positively worth $8. Don't miss seeing it at..... **$5**

OTHERS FROM $2 UP TO $15.

2.75 for Boys' $4 Suits

A big snap for **Thursday only.** All worsted plain and fancy fabrics; also blues and blacks. They're positively from the regular $4 lines, as a flyer for Thursday..... **2.75**

Free Baseball Outfit—Elegant Catcher's Mitt or fine ball and bat with Boys' Suits.

Handsome Confirmation Suits!

Imported and Domestic, all worsted garments in the finest black and blue suits. Special for Thursday only.

$3 for $7 Short-Pants Suits!
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Men's $15 Suits, $9½

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"I'M COMING HOME," HIS LAST MESSAGE

L. P. Hemm, Kirkwood Druggist, Telephoned Wife, Then Disappeared.

Mrs. L. P. Hemm of Kirkwood said Wednesday morning that nothing had been heard of her husband, a well-known manufacturing druggist of that place, whose unaccounted absence was reported to the St. Louis police Tuesday night.

Hemm telephoned his family at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon that he was on his way home. Eight hours later, when he had not arrived there, his alarmed family began an inquiry which failed to produce results. About 11 o'clock the St. Louis police were asked to assist in finding him.

Hemm is known as a very moral man, with no bad habits, and his friends fear he has met with some misfortune. He is a brother of Prof. Francis Hemm. He is 49 years old.

Lived Fifty Years in One House.

After living half a century in the same house, while the neighborhood was transformed from a wilderness to a busy city, Mrs. Munchow of 4301 Papin street died of enlargement of the heart Saturday at the age of 77 years. Mrs. Munchow was born in Germany and came to St. Louis in 1858, when she married Chas. W. Munchow. Her husband died 26 years ago. She is survived by two sons, Frank and Reinhard Munchow, and two daughters, Mrs. Laura Kanstein and Mrs. Clara Hellweck, all of St. Louis.

LEMASTERS MAYOR OF GRANITE CITY

Other Offices Divided About Evenly Between People's and Labor Parties.

The People's party and the Labor party are to share the offices in Granite City the ensuing term. The Labor party has the mayor, marshal, superintendent of streets, and three aldermen. The People's party has the treasurer, city attorney and two aldermen.

Morgan Lemasters received 572 votes for mayor, Augustus Miller of the People's party 521, and A. S. Standridge of the Socialist party, 194.

The others elected Tuesday were Charles A. Uzzel, treasurer; M. R. Sullivan, city attorney; Tony Ruen, marshal; Ed. E. Ries, superintendent of streets; C. A. Kellermann, C. J. Wilhelm, Charles Wright, W. J. Lynch and Peter Radcliffe, aldermen.

In Venice the entire Citizens' ticket was elected by large majorities over the Labor ticket. The officers elected were J. W. Scott, mayor; Leo. A. Byrnes, city clerk; G. W. Bennett, city marshal; John L. Feckete, city attorney; D. B. Greathouse, police magistrate; Marcus Voegele, alderman Second ward.

He Knew.

From the Boston Transcript.

Dolliver: Mrs. Grimes says her husband is the best man that every lived.

Wicklow: Maybe he is; but he isn't the best man that ever died, for that man was my wife's first husband.

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All this week—a handsome fancy wash vest or a fine soft or stiff hat free with all men's suits at $10 and over.

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SHERMAN M. BELL ASKED TO LEAD CASTRO'S ARMY

Former Colorado Adjutant-General Is Seriously Considering Offer to Command Forces of the Republic of Venezuela.

MIGHT HAVE TO OPPOSE UNITED STATES TROOPS

He Says He Would Dislike to Fight Roosevelt, However—Would Take 100 Americans Along to Assist Him.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

DENVER, April 19.—Sherman M. Bell, former adjutant-general of Colorado, is seriously considering an offer to be commander-in-chief of the entire army of Venezuela. A large salary and almost arbitrary power goes with the job, and Bell says he is very much tempted to "take the offer and make men of those greasers."

"If I go down there half measures in anything will not go with me," he says. "I will fit that little army up so that it not only can take care of its own country, but also do a little business in trouble outside.

"I could get a hundred of the best men in this country to go down with me, and there would be something more in it than mere commander of the army in a short time."

Bell says he does not want to fight Roosevelt, but believes if he goes to Venezuela he will have to go against a United States army before long.

"KING'S" ELECTION TO BE CONTESTED

Opponents of Mayor Coyle of Madison Say Votes Cast Exceed Those Registered.

Leaders of the Improvement party at Madison say they will contest the election in the Circuit Court at Edwardsville. They claim that they will be able to show that Patrick Coyle, "King of Madison," was not fairly re-elected.

They base their claim on the ground that their challengers were not permitted to inspect the ballot boxes when the polls opened to see that they were empty, and the statement that the vote was 112 in excess of the registration.

On the face of the returns not only Coyle, but the entire Citizens' ticket was elected. The vote was as follows:

For president Board of Trustees—Patrick Coyle, 471; F. A. Garesche, 401. For clerk—J. L. Arms, 461; Carl Uffers, 386. For village attorney—J. M. Bandy, 435. For trustees—M. M. Meehan, 459; John Malone, 461; Charles Good, 443; John R. Beale, 373; Walter Dant, 371; George Hiscox, 322.

The presence of Sheriff Crowe and deputies prevented disorder and there were only two or three minor controversies. It was not necessary to make any arrests.

Leaders of the Improvement party were in communication with Gov. Deneen during the day. A dispute about the number of challengers in the polling place was referred to him and he directed Crowe to allow each side its full quota.

The sheriff did not permit anybody besides the election officials and challengers and himself in the polling place while the votes were being counted. The count was not concluded until after midnight.

C—Ask for the Celebrity-School Shoes for S—boys and girls. Boehmer's, 410-412 B'way.

KAISER INDORSES ROOSEVELT

German Emperor Professes Great Admiration for President of the United States.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, April 19.—The re-election of President Roosevelt last November, in the opinion of the German Emperor, constituted a "splendid indorsement" of the President, "for whom he has a great admiration." The words quoted are from a dispatch to the state department by Charles Hage Bryan, American minister to Portugal. The minister reports that on the occasion of the Emperor's visit to Lisbon, just before the Kaiser went to Morocco, he had a pleasant chat with him. During the course of it the Kaiser talked about American politics and President Roosevelt.

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PRESBYTERY CONSIDERS UNION

St. Louis Clergy to Vote on Important Proposition.

The spring session of the St. Louis Presbytery, which opened Tuesday night at Cote Brilliante Presbyterian Church with the election of Rev. Dr. Bell as moderator, will vote on the proposition to unite with the Cumberland Presbyterian Church. It is not known what position the St. Louis Presbytery will take in the matter, but it is thought that they will vote in favor of the proposition.

Delegates to the general assembly will be elected at this session of the Presbytery. Rev. Dr. W. J. McKittrick presided at the preliminary service Tuesday night and preached the sermon.

Bondsman Surrenders Turner.

George Turner, who is under indictment on charges of making and passing counterfeit money, was committed to jail Tuesday in default of bond, to remain until his trial in May, before Judge Rogers. Turner has been out on bonds, aggregating $8000 with the Missouri-Lincoln Trust Co. as surety. Yesterday he was surrendered by his bondsman. Turner is accused of being an accomplice of Stella Davis, now under arrest in Chicago on charges of circulating counterfeit $5 gold pieces.

E—Ask for Edwin C. Burt new spring C—styles in women's shoes at Boehmer's.

JAPAN WANTS TAFT AS GUEST

Mikado's Government Will Extend Invitation If Secretary Will but Say the Word.

WASHINGTON, April 19.—A formal invitation to Secretary Taft to visit Japan will be extended if the secretary will but say that he will be gratified by the receipt of such an invitation. A secretary of the Japanese legation visited Mr. Taft to urge him to say that he would be pleased to receive such an invitation. The inclination of the secretary is to refuse official attention at Japanese ports. The Japanese had hoped to entertain him officially as a mark of appreciation of the treatment accorded Prince Fushimi during his visit here.

Priest's Body Lies in State.

The body of Rev. Father William Faerber, who died of asthma at St. Mary's Infirmary Monday night, will lie in state until next Monday, when a pontifical requiem will be celebrated by Archbishop Glennon at St. Mary's Church, Third and Gratiot streets, where the dead priest formerly presided. The body will remain at the infirmary until 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon, when it will be taken to the church. It will be buried in the priests' lot in Calvary Cemetery.

STRIKE BREAKER USES PISTOL

Chicago Nonunion Teamster Fires on Assailant and Wounds Bystander.

CHICAGO, April 19.—Attacked at Van Buren and Sherman streets by a strike picket Charles Ocker, a non-union teamster, fired two revolver shots at his assailant yesterday. Both bullets missed the striker and one of them wounded Walter Klager, a teamster who was unloading a wagon a half block away. Ocker was arrested. Klager will recover.

John O'Reilly of St. Louis was beaten into insensibility by union teamsters later in the day, while walking in Van Buren street. The strikers believed that he had been working for Montgomery Ward & Co., but O'Reilly denies that he was ever employed by the firm.

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Main Floor—Front.

Beautiful New Silk Tailored Suits at $16.50

THESE handsome silk suits are very much better than any other at this price that we have seen this season—and we have shopped around very carefully to inform ourselves. They come in chiffon taffetas in the plain or changeable shades, with full box plaited waist piped in white. They have the new full sleeves with plaited cuffs, and the skirt is the full flare style with box plaits. These are very dressy silk suits at only— **$16.50**

$15 silk suits at $9.95—Six different pleasing styles at this price. Some are tailor plaited. Others have an abundance of shirring. All are made of fine soft-finished taffeta silks in all the new and changeable shades. All sizes of these $15.00 suits at.....$9.95

New checked silk suits, $29.50—These decidedly attractive novelties come in black and white checked silk, with the short, loose, box-plaited coat reaching to the high shirred bodice belt. Three-quarter length sleeves, with narrow cuffs, trimmed with embroidery medallions. Full plaited new skirts. Choice.....$29.50

Silk blouse coats at $8.95—A selection of the most beautiful effects in short blouses, with deep folded belt. The blouse is shirred or box plaited. These are lined throughout and are well worth $12.00. Tomorrow we will offer these stylish silk coats at.....$8.95

Dressy silk coats at $11.75—A number of beautiful, airy styles, including the long Redingotes, with blouse front and fancy shirring and trimming. The skirt full blouses to the waist line. These beautiful coats are made of fine taffeta and are worth $15.00 to $18.00. Choice.....$11.75

Beautiful fancy Easter waists—Charming garments in laces, English hand embroidery on silk, chiffons, nets, allover laces, Jap silks, lingerie styles and three-quarter and long sleeve ideas in handkerchief linens, batiste, Persian lawns, organdies, etc. High art exclusive models at $37.50, $32.50, $29.50, $25.00, $22.50, $19.50, $15.00 and down to.....$5.00

Girls' confirmation dresses—We are exclusively showing scores of charming styles in white lawns or organdies, trimmed with laces, embroideries and white satin ribbons—all are the season's very newest ideas, at $2.95 up to.....$25

Dainty $2.25 linen waists, $1.45—Three styles in tailored pure linen, made by one of the best makers. The fronts are nattily knife plaited and some have the side buttoned effects, with six large pearl buttons; sizes 32 to 44; good $2.25 values.....$1.45

Second Floor—Five Elevators and the Moving Stairway.

200 Trimmed Hats, only $5

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Third Floor—Five Elevators.

BOY ACQUITTED OF SHOOTING HUNTER

Juvenile Court Jury Not Sure John F. Meier Fired Shot Fatal to Thomas Inman.

John F. Meier, 15 years old, is back at his home, freed of the charge of murder, which has been hanging over him since Thomas Inman was killed last fall on the farm of Bernhard Wulf, Meier's uncle, in St. Louis County.

Meier was tried Tuesday afternoon in the Juvenile court. The jurymen were not convinced that Meier had fired the shot which killed Inman.

Meier and his cousin, Henry Berner, 17 years old, both fired at Inman, who, with some companions, was trespassing on the Wulf farm. Berner was tried in the Criminal court and sent to the workhouse for one year on the charge of manslaughter.

The parents of young Meier were in court when he was acquitted and they took him home.

His Pay Day.

From the Chicago News.

Old Man: How can you afford to smoke that 25-cent cigar?

Young Man: O, today was pay day.

Old Man: And what did you do with the other quarter?

HO, FOR A DELUGE OF MUSICAL SHOWS

Three of the Biggest of Them Will Oppose Each Other Here Next Week.

The planet Mars is in opposition this week, and, so we are assured by the learned, is 350,000,000 miles nearer us than it is when it is in aphelion with the sun.

But this is as nothing compared with the manner in which big musical shows are going to come in opposition in St. Louis next week. There has not been anything like it thus far in the season, and it is unlikely that they will be again in a long, long time.

By a strange turn of theatrical affairs three of the biggest musical productions upon the American stage will engage in a three-cornered contest for patronage in St. Louis next week. "Mother Goose," the big Klaw & Erlanger extravaganza now running at the Century Theater, will remain there next week, and Sunday night it will be joined in the city by "The Earl and the Girl," the newest and biggest of the Shubert pieces—now but four weeks old and running in Chicago. The next night F. C. Whitney's "Piff, Paff, Pouf" will come along from the East and settle at the Olympic Theater for a week, bringing Jem Mace, the famous English pony ballet and the original radium dance.

Whether there are enough lovers of musical shows of the bigger sort in St. Louis to fill all three of these theaters simultaneously remains to be seen. Probably there are, for, having worried along so long with some of the smaller and less diverting musical pieces, the community is in a mood to see some big ones, as it has indicated by the manner in which it has poured out to see Schumann-Heink's opera and "Mother Goose."

"The Earl and the Girl" is coming to stay two weeks. The Shuberts assure us that we have but to look in to be convinced that it is the biggest and most elaborate thing they have done. New York and the East have not seen it yet, and it only comes to St. Louis at this time because of a singular combination of circumstances which make it impossible for the owners of the new Garrick to send to us this season either one of their other big musical pieces—Lillian Russell in "Lady Teazle," and Jefferson de Angelis and Katie Barry in "Fantana."

Anyway, the big three-cornered contest next week will add considerably to the gayety of nations.

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Odeon Stock Company Plays "The Holy City."

The Odeon Stock company made one of its most pretentious and deserving productions last night, when it put on "The Holy City," a biblical drama in which the characters are all of biblical prominence. Miss Vaughn, the leading lady, for instance, is Salome, daughter of Herod. Mr. Carleton, the leading man, is Marius, a Roman politician. Hardee Kirkland is Judas Iscariot, and his work in this character is worth a word of commendation. Mr. Sullivan is Herod and Miss Johnson is Elizabeth, mother of John the Baptist. This is the last one of the Odeon Stock's closing weeks, and the religious nature of the piece makes it singularly suitable for Holy Week.

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On Being an Oasis in the Sandy Seas.

I wonder what the sensation of being an oasis is? Miss Rose Stahl ought to know. Miss Stahl is the headliner on the Columbia vaudeville bill this week. She looms up out of a Sahara of mediocrity with all the conspicuousness of a grove of date palms upon the otherwise undated desert.

Miss Stahl has a one-act play entitled "The Chorus Lady." The program says it is "a one-act comedy of stage life." We'll see about that. The scene of the piece is a dressing room at Conreid's Metropolitan Opera House, in New York City. Mrs. Freddie Westervelt, a member of the 400, is infatuated with one of the tenors. To be near him she manages to have it arranged that she shall go on the stage as one of the "Little Egypts" in the opera "Aida." This, of course, is to be a secret between her and one or two others back of the scenes.

Mrs. Westervelt is introduced behind the scenes as Miss Smith. She is sent into the dressing room of Miss Patricia O'Brien, who carries an assegia in the chorus of "Aida." Miss O'Brien comes in in the person of Miss Stahl. She is wearing a Leslie Carter wig, and has the air of an adventuress dying for adventures. She knows all of the Roy McCardell stage slang, and amplifies it out of her own vocabulary. It isn't parlor talk by a long shot, and one does not feel hedged about by the proprieties while Patricia is telling her visitor about things back of the scenes, of Mrs. Westervelt's craze for the tenor, of the tenor's ridicule of the aristocratic lady, etc. No, indeed; rather one feels just a little embarrassed. It is Patricia's stage talk, mixed with a grotesquely feminine chatter of clothes, millinery, stores, bargains, etc., that makes the sketch, with the justification coming subsequently when Mrs. Westervelt, having had the wool rather rudely pulled from her eyes, tells Patricia who she is and acts upon that young woman's advice to slip out and go home to her husband and little son ere it is too late.

Miss Stahl's work in the sketch has the ring of genuineness. Few things have been so well done at the Columbia this season. It is worth going to see, both for the excellent playing which Miss Stahl does in it and for the moral it displays. But is it a comedy? Not unless there is something funny about a life-saving station.

Aside from this the Columbia bill is weak. Theo. Smith-Fuller and Jenny St. George are there with their music. It isn't as interesting as it was because, like the laws of the Medes and Persians, it never changes. The Smith-Fuller instruments and the compositions they play upon them are the same yesterday, today and forever. Will H. Armstrong and Magdalene Holly have a one-act sketch, "The Expressman." The program calls Armstrong "Broadway's favorite comedian." Broadway can't reclaim him any too soon to suit us. Light-hearted as we are and given to laughing, our sense of humor is not to be tickled by this performance, which, if the truth were to be told about it, would be painful in the extreme. Prevost and Prevost, acrobats; James F. Macdonald, singer and monologist; the McConnell sisters, singers and dancers, and the Newsboys' Quartet and others are on the bill.

SOMETHING ABOUT NEXT WEEK'S SHOWS.

The first act scene of "The Earl and the Girl," the English musical comedy which will be seen at the Garrick Theater Sunday night, April 23, is a copy of Cecil Alden's famous painting, "The Fallowfield Hunt." There is scarcely a country manor or hunting lodge in England in which a copy of this painting cannot be found. The English producers of "The Earl and the Girl" did not utilize this scene, but R. H. Burnside, who produced "The Earl and the Girl" for the Messrs. Shubert, decided to follow out the idea of this famous painting in every detail. The color scheme is in green and red, the usual colors of the riding costumes in England. The second act scene shows a brilliantly lighted ballroom and the costumes worn at the ball are pronounced to be the most beautiful and gorgeous ever seen on the stage in musical comedy. The ball dresses worn by the eight Casino show girls were purchased by Sam S. Shubert when in Europe a couple of months ago, and when "The Earl and the Girl" played in Chicago many fashionable dressmakers attended the performance merely to get ideas from the gowns worn in this show.

The pre-eminent feature of "Piff, Paff, Pouf," which will be seen for the first time in this city at the Olympic Theater, for the week beginning Monday, April 24, with matinees on Wednesday and Saturday, is the "Radium Ballet," executed by the Original English Pony Ballet. The entire eight English dancing girls, known as the house, including the stage, is darkened, and the little dancers in the costumes of pierrettes appear upon the scene. The material of which their dresses are made takes on an iridescent glow, causing a very striking and mystifying effect. Other features are the work of Fred Mame in the entrance and dance, and then following with the "Ghost That Never Walked," Robert E. Graham's "Orodalia Malone," with entire chorus; John Hyams' "Lutie," with the Pony Ballet, who dance in the background in the costumes of Dutch peasants; Vinie Daly's "Dolly Dimples," with chorus. These are four of the biggest song hits.

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Walter Waldau, leading juvenile of the Irving Place Theater, who will accompany the Heinemann-Welb Stock company on their Mexican tour, will make his debut in St. Louis next Sunday night. Mr. Waldau is the ideal Karl Heinrich in "'Alt Heidelberg," having played that role with distinction in Germany and New York. The finest decorations with which this beautiful idyllic play has ever been equipped, will be used at the Olympic Theater next Sunday. The electric light effects alone are worth a small fortune and are novel and original. "Alt Heidelberg" is one of the stable favorites of every German repertoire company and never loses its attraction.

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The last offering of the Odeon Stock company will be that of "Prince Karl," beginning Tuesday, April 25. April 30 the engagement of this company comes to an end. "Prince Karl" was written by Archibald Clavering Gunther, and when produced in New York by Richard Mansfield was considered his greatest comedy success. The story of the play deals with the love affairs of Prince Karl. It abounds with humorous situations, being written in Gunther's most brilliant style. Several stories of heart interest enter into it.

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Beginning next Sunday matinee and continuing throughout the current week, "More to be Pitied than Scorned" will be at Havlin's. The cast has among its members Kina Buggot, Wm. H. Elliot, Harry Markham, Chas. Sutton, Walter Wilson, Geo. Ovey, W. E. Armstrong, Lydia Powell, Bertine Robison, Louise Horner, Baby Evelyn, Mrs. John Duel, May Wynoham, Queenie Wynoham, Hazel Arnold, Grace Mcuegs, Bessie Davis, Alice MacDonald and Daisy Marsereau.

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"The Texas Ranger," a piece which has been quite successful on the popular-price circuit, will come to the Crawford Theater next week, opening Sunday afternoon.

"The Firm of Cunningham" Opens Weakly in Gotham.

By Leased Wire from the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, April 19.—"The Firm of Cunningham," a new comedy written by Willis Steele and acted for the first time at the little Madison Square theater last night, is not likely to make a deep impression as an accurate or even plausible picture of life in the fast social stratum, but it managed to hold the attention of its opening audience until its tale had spun itself out because of the good acting of its small company and the occasional flashes of clever dialogue that invigorated it when it showed signs, which were not infrequent, of growing weak.

The sinner of the plot was feminine and totally impossible, but as played by Miss Hilda Spong she managed to create no little degree of interest.

Miss Spong was pleasing even in the most unsympathetic of parts, but it was Katherine Grey in the role of the sister who, by her own personal attractiveness and the sincerity of her action, captured the real interest of the audience.

This thin-waisted little play may suit for a time the shallow temper of the season, but if dramatic waves were rolling high it would not create so much as spin-draft on their crests.

There are lots of young working people who could easily save a portion of their wages if they would only get started. Some save awhile, then unfortunately look about for a way to spent what they have saved. But those who deposit regularly in the Savings Department of the Mercantile Trust Company, Eighth and Locust, take much pleasure in watching the rapid growth of their savings account. They leave it to increase until enough has accumulated to purchase a home and quit paying rent.

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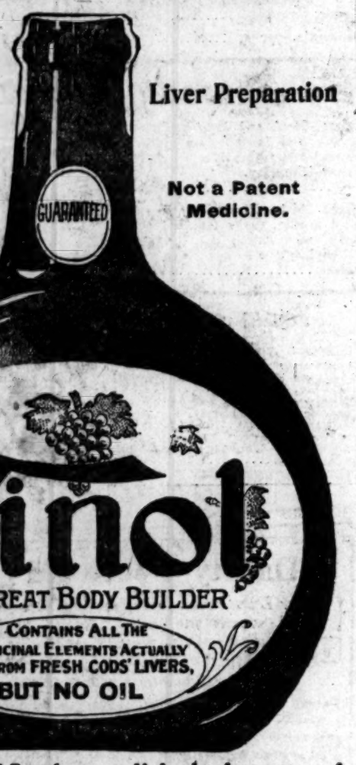

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At noon the operation was performed and the sons were making arrangements for the burial of the old man. At 5 p. m., the old man sat up in bed, called for his trousers, took therefrom a plug of tobacco, cut a liberal slice from it and put it in his mouth.

Four hours later a nurse brought the old man some broth. He called the doctors. They, thinking to humor him, ordered the pork and beans the patient called for. The old man ate heartily of them. The third day Lacomb decided to go home. The nurses protested. The doctors said "Let him go."

Saturday, five days from the time of the operation, he was out of doors sawing wood.

ROME THE SIZE OF BALTIMORE.

Census of "Holy City" for 1904 Shows Population of 506,840.

Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch and New York World.

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ROME, April 17.—According to the census taken at the end of 1904, the population of Rome was 506,840 inhabitants, an increase of 38,840 in three years. In four years 46,505 births were registered, and only 34,777 deaths, which difference, together with the increased immigration, accounts for the increase in the population.

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Special to the Post-Dispatch.

DENVER, Colo., April 12.—A Crow Indian, with "Frenzied Finance" Lawson as a backer and partner, is about to become a Monte Cristo, whose wealth will eclipse that of the Mexican peon, Pedro Alvarado, whose silver mine pays him $1,000,000 a week. The Indian's treasure house is lined with gold, and if the future bears out the present indications, this lowly Crow Indian will become the world's richest man.

Thomas W. Lawson, Boston's millionaire, expects to get possession of what promises to be the richest gold mine in the world. The exact location of the mine, which is reported upon good authority to be of fabulous wealth, is a secret in the possession of Benjamin McIntosh, a Crow Indian, who is in Denver to meet a representative of Lawson's for the purpose of closing a deal whereby the mine is to be turned over to the Boston financier.

While McIntosh refuses to divulge the exact locality of the mine, he says it is in the vicinity of the old Crow Indian encampment on Rock creek, five miles north of Kimball, Wyo.

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A Gigantic Vein.

McIntosh is guarding the secret as closely as possible. Inadvertantly he said this morning, however, that the mine consists of a great vein, running from Rock creek, five miles north to Little Gramont, where it intersects the main body, which is a vast blowout. It then runs south two and one-half miles. The north end it at Twin creek. This immense deposit of gold is on a mountain 10,840 feet high, and the mine McIntosh speaks of is half way up the slope.

Ever since he was old enough to walk McIntosh says he has known of the mine. The Indians at that time were in the habit of getting all the yellow metal they desired. McIntosh helped himself to all he needed, but the idea of selling the mine never occurred to him until recently. According to his story, about six weeks ago he dug a pit at the north end of the deposit. "I got a depth of eight feet in a day and a half I took out gold worth $670, according to the bank scales at Idaho Falls," enthusiastically said McIntosh.

It was this mammoth find that determined McIntosh that he would dispose of the mine. A few days later he tried another shot. He picked up considerable free gold, which he expressed to Thomas W. Lawson of frenzied finance fame at Boston, with details about the manner in which he secured it. Mr. Lawson immediately wrote to him that his representative would meet him in this city. McIntosh is awaiting Lawson's representative. He says he is the adopted son of a Crow Indian, 84 years old. Through the death of all the Indians who knew of the secret deposit, he has become the sole owner. He says that there is between 4 and 6 feet of snow in the mountains at the present time, and the only way to reach the mine is by snowshoes. He declares he is not exaggerating the value of the deposit, and will defray all the expenses of Mr. Lawson's representative to the mine to prove that he is telling the truth. Before leaving the mine McIntosh placed 17 men at work.

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WATERLOO BAD FOR CHURCHES

One Is Turned Into Dance Hall, Another Shelters Pool-Room, and Third Warehouse.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

WATERLOO, N. Y., April 17.—The old Methodist Church here has been purchased by the Columbia distillery for a warehouse. A church on the west side of the park is being used as a dance hall and the old Episcopal Church has been turned into an arcade and now contains several lines of business, including a poolroom.

Another church is used for storage of produce.

'E NOCH ARDEN REGAINS WIFE"

After Being Missing Twelve Years Connecticut Man Returns to Family.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

HARTFORD, Conn., April 17.—An Enoch Arden case without material variations has developed at Essex. Charles Hyatt, who left there 12 years ago and was supposed to be dead, has returned to find his wife married again and the children increased by four. After waiting 6 years for her husband to return, Mrs. Hyatt married George Rand.

The family were eating supper Saturday evening when the supposed dead man walked in upon them. Rand immediately vacated the premises and with the two eldest children left town. Hyatt, who has refused to tell his whereabouts during the past 12 years, is again head of the household. Hyatt is a baker. His and Rand's wife is a member of the Congregational Church.

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LICENSE TO WED 10 YEARS OLD

Baltimore Man Is Assured That Time-Worn Document Is Perfectly Valid.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

BALTIMORE, April 17.—"Is a marriage license 10 years old good?" This was the somewhat startling question asked in the Court of Common Pleas this morning by a tall, middle-aged man, who produced a worn and faded document and passed it across to Clerk "Jim" Henry. He was assured that it was all right.

"My minister says it is no good," said the man, "and I'd like you to 'O. K.' it to satisfy him. It was issued to me at this office Oct. 31, 1895."

The inquirer was John H. Shoemaker, and he said that he recently left the navy and returned to Baltimore, where he met his sweetheart of 10 years ago and their differences were patched up.

OYSTERS. "Prime" Selects, 25c a dozen. Hilbert's Restaurant, 202 N. Sixth street.

ONE WIDOW OF THE REVOLUTION LIVING

Esther Sumner Damon, Now More Than 90 Years of Age, Last Living Wife of Hero of '76.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

PLYMOUTH UNION, Vt., April 17.—A half day's journey from the railroad lives the last widow of the war of the Revolution, Esther Sumner Damon, cousin of Charles Sumner. For half a century she has subsisted on 40 cents a day, but under the provisions of a special act approved Feb. 28 she will receive $24 a month.

Esther Sumner was born in Bridgewater, Vt., Aug. 1, 1814. When she was 8 years old her father met with a fatal accident, leaving the family without resources. Esther, by working out during the summers, saved a few dollars, which enabled her to attend the village school during the winter. At the age of 17 she taught a little school on the mountain in Plymouth Union.

Marries Aged Soldier.

She continued to direct her little flock until Noah Damon, an aged soldier of the Revolution, came to Plymouth Union on a visit and fell in love with her. Two weeks later, in 1834, they were married.

Immediately after the wedding it developed that Mr. Damon, instead of possessing funds or property, could figure up only about $16.50.

The bride, by rigid economy, had saved a small sum from her pay for teaching, but this did not last long. Mr. Damon was unable to work, and the task of bread winning fell upon the shoulders of the girl bride. By accepting any kind of employment and cultivating a garden mornings and evenings, she kept the wolf from the door.

Husband Leaves Her.

At the end of three years the young wife wearied of the struggle and suggested to her husband, who had become helpless, that he go to his daughter by a former wife, living in New Hampshire. The veteran agreed to the proposition and left his wife without show of resentment. He lived only two years after that, but during this time his wife bought clothes out of her earnings and sent them to him.

Concerning her husband, who has been dead 67 years, Mrs. Damon can give little information. He was born in 1759, and at the age of 16 enlisted in a Massachusetts regiment and served five years. He participated in the battle of Long Island and other important engagements.

Mrs. Damon, a few years after the death of Mr. Damon, was granted a pension of $30 a year and this amount a score of years ago was increased to $12 a month.

During her early widowhood Mrs. Damon had several offers of marriage, but she refused all proposals.

Mrs. Damon is well preserved, although more than 90 years old. She is erect in carriage, with a strong, intellectual face. She enjoys fair health.

OBJECTS TO BEING HUSBAND.

Milwaukeean Says He Was Hypnotized Into Marrying.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., April 17.—Claiming that he was hypnotized and while in that condition went to Chicago last week and unknowingly married Miss Mabel Coombes, a nurse, Howard Bishop, a brakeman, is a patient at the Trinity Hospital. Suit will be commenced to annul the marriage. The young people have known each other for several years, and the girl denies the story told by her husband.

A Dance

At another dance
Got overheated, eh?
Then drank a lot of punch
Then went outside to cool off
No wonder you're all stuffed up
Head aches and feels hot
Take a bottle of

Red Raven

Then you will feel right for the day

For sale everywhere

BABY'S AWFUL ECZEMA

Face Like Raw Beef. Thought She Would Lose Her Ear. Healed Without a Blemish.

MOTHER THANKS CUTICURA

"My little girl had eczema very bad when she was ten months old. I thought she would lose her right ear. It had turned black, and her face was like a piece of raw meat, and very sore. It would bleed when I washed her, and I had to keep cloths on it day and night. There was not a clear spot on her face when I began using Cuticura Soap and Ointment, and now it is completely healed, without scar or blemish, which is more than I had hoped for. (signed) Mrs. Rose Ether, 291 Eckford St., Brooklyn, N. Y."

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The perfection of collar comfort
Made in quarter sizes
Silvey GEO. P. IDE & CO., Makers

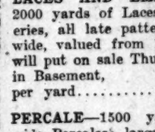
Schaper Bros.
BROADWAY AND FRANKLIN
The Store of Bargains.

King's Thread
King's Thread, 200 yards to spool, all numbers; sold regularly for 5c; special for Thursday, between the hours of 9 and 10 a. m.. 1c

Phenomenal Sale of Carpets, Rugs, Etc., Etc.

Thursday we will place on sale fifty (50) rolls of Saxony Axminster Carpets, with borders or without, in beautiful colors of two tone red, green, tan, etc. This is a golden opportunity to get a handsome rug made cheap or cover your whole floor. Bring the size of rug you want and get our figures; you will be surprised. Bear in mind this class of goods sells at from $1.35 to $1.50 a yard. As special Thursday, a yard..... 98c

A special lot of No. 8 galvanized Wash Boilers, worth $1.00—for Thursday..... 49c



$2.00 all-copper Wash Boiler, No. 8 size, for Thursday at only $1.75

Wall Paper
Fine White Blank and Glimmer, worth 6c..... 2c
Fine Gold Papers, worth 10c.... 5c
Fine Embossed Parlor Papers, worth 25c..... 10c
Remnants, per roll..... ½c

Red Hot Specials for Thursday

50c white lace Hose; never sold for less—Thursday..... 39c
15c Children's lace-trimmed Pants..... 10c
25c ladies' lace-trimmed Pants..... 15c
75c ladies' lace, embroidered and fancy Hose in many patterns and boot effects—Thursday..... 50c
15c ladies' and children's black and mixed Hose—Thursday..... 6c

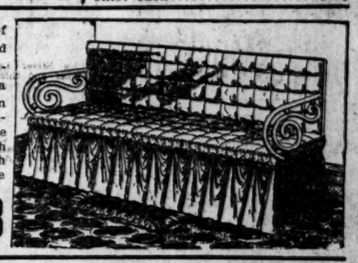
Shirts—Men's and Boys' madras and percale and fancy white shirts in pleated and plain; 75c value—Thursday, only..... 25c

Night Shirts—Fine night robes, all good muslin, fancy trimmed collar, cuffs and pockets; all styles; 50c value..... 29c

Window Shades
All colors, mounted on good, substantial rollers; all warranted worth 35c; all complete with fixtures and cords—Thursday..... 19c

Main Floor Bargains
50 pieces striped White Lawns—a regular 10c quality—Thursday only, the yard..... 5c
25 pieces Bleached cotton Toweling—for Thursday only, the yard..... 3c
100 dozen Ladies' Handkerchiefs, 7½c quality—Thursday only, each..... 3½c

This Davenport, made of cold-tempered steel, fitted with four rows of National springs, makes a full-size Bed when open and a handsome Davenport when closed. The Davenport alone is worth $8.50; the pad is worth $5.50; we will sell the outfit complete, pad and Davenport, without arms, Thursday..... $7.98



Basement Bargains!

LAWNS—27 inches wide, in fast-colored figures and stripes, light and dark colors, 7½c quality, Thursday, in Basement, a yard..... 4c

LACES AND EMBROIDERIES—2000 yards of Laces and Embroideries, all late patterns, 3½ inches wide, valued from 10c to 15c—we will put on sale Thursday, in Basement, per yard..... 5c

PERCALE—1500 yards of yard-wide Percales; large assortment of dress and wrapper patterns; worth 12½c Thursday for..... 5c

HOSE—A great bargain in Ladies' plain black and white feet Hose, all sizes, fast black, well worth 15c—will be on sale in our Basement Thursday for..... 5c

SATEEN SKIRTS—Mercerized Sateen Petticoats, with deep flounce and ruffles, in different colors—always sold at 98c—in Basement, Thursday..... 65c

ZEPHYR GINGHAMS—2000 yards of fine zephyr ginghams; splendid patterns for children's dresses; 10 to 20 yard lengths; 10c quality. While they last for..... 5c

Three O'Clock Special
FRUIT OF THE LOOM—At 3:00 o'clock sharp we offer 1 case extra good quality Fruit of the Loom branded muslin, 36 inches wide, always sold for 10c. Thursday while it lasts for..... 5c

DENTISTS.

SAVE MONEY AND PAIN.
Reliable Dentistry.

TEETH WITHOUT PLATES

Best Set White Teeth..... $4.00
22-k. Gold Crowns..... $3.00
Bridge Work..... $2.50
Painless Extraction..... 75c up
Gold Fillings..... 25c
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Gold Crowns, 22k..... $5.00
Full Set Teeth..... $3.00
Bridge Work..... $3.00
GAS 25c
Bring this ad. and get 25c Gold filling free.
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This Week—The Great Religious Drama, "THE HOLY CITY."
Week Beginning Sunday, April 23, "PRINCE KARL."
Matinees Wednesday and Saturday. 25c and 50c.

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Extracted Without Pain, 25c Gas Given Free.

A SENSATION
Our New Whalebone Set of Teeth do not cover roof of mouth; bite corn off the cob; fit the first time.
UNTIL MAY 1ST we have decided to make our New Whalebone Set of Teeth for $5 PER SET.
This is the last week at this price. Call early and avoid the rush
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BRIDGEWORK, guaranteed..... $3
BEST SET OF TEETH..... $3
22-k. GOLD CROWNS..... $3
GOLD FILLINGS..... $1 up
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GRAND MAT. TODAY and SAT. 25c and 50c
Night Prices—25c, 35c, 50c, 75c, $1.00.
STEPHENS & LINTON MY WIFE'S FAMILY
A new musical farce.
Next Sunday Matinee—Nannette Comstock in "The Crisis."

HAVLIN'S The Theater Where You See the Best Shows for Little Money. 15c to 50c.
25c MATINEE TOMORROW. 25c Mats. Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday.
NETTIE, THE NEWSGIRL
Next—"More to Be Pitied Than Scorned."

CENTURY—MATINEE TODAY at 2
TONIGHT AT 8.
A WONDROUS SPECTACLE!
Klaw and Erlanger's
MOTHER GOOSE
—350—
IN THE PRODUCTION.
PRICES: 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.50.
Seat Sale for Final Week Thursday

OLYMPIC Today at 2:15. Tonight at 8:15.
Charles Frohman presents
JOHN DREW
in the best role of his career,
The Duke of Killicrankie.
REGULAR MAT. SATURDAY.

LINE UP! | GAY DAYS! | NEXT WEEK!
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Superb Cast. Company of 80. 20 Song Hits.
Frolic of Features. The Original English Pony Ballet.
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—SEATS THURSDAY.—

CRAWFORD THIS WEEK PRICES, 10c, 20c, 30c.
The Original BILLY KERSANDS MINSTRELS All FUN.
Mats.—Tues., Thurs., Sat.—10c and 20c.
Next—"A Texas Ranger."

COLUMBIA
Sixth and St. Charles Sts.
All This Week and Next Sunday
Continuous Vaudeville—1:30 to 10:30 Daily
Rose Stahl & Co. Prevost & Prevost.
Smith & Fuller. Jas. F. Macdonald.
Armstrong & Holly. Lavine & Wallone.
McConnell Sisters. Fay & Lea Darbyelle.
Newsboys' Quartet. Wilson, Dehaverille & Co.
Shields & Paul. The Kinodrome.
15c, 30c, 50c Orchestra Chairs Reserved, 75c.

GARRICK Popular Mats. Today (Wed.) and Fri., 50c. Sat. 50c, 75c and $1. Even'gs 50c to $1.50.
MRS. WIGGS of the CABBAGE PATCH
SUN. EVE., April 23 Seats Thursday.
The Merry Musical Whirl, THE EARL and THE GIRL.

IMPERIAL TONIGHT 15c, 25c, 35c, 50c
25c Mat. Today
A Scenic Triumph,
OVER NIAGARA FALLS.
Next Sun. Mat.—"The Moonshiner's Daughter."

OPENING GAME
Baseball Today
American League Park, Grand and Sullivan Aves.
BROWNS vs. CLEVELAND
Game starts at 3:30 o'clock.
Umpires, Kelly and McCarthy.

RACES
UNION TRACK
Natural Bridge Road and Union Av.
TAKE SUBURBAN CARS.
SIX OR MORE RACES DAILY
Contests by High-Class Horses.
FIRST RACE 2:45 P. M.
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At FAIR GROUNDS
Vandeventer Av. and Natural Bridge Road
SIX RACES DAILY
BEGINNING AT 2:30 P. M.
Admission, Including Grand Stand, $1.00
WOODLANDS TROPHY SATURDAY, APRIL 22

ALL THE NEWS OF BASEBALL AND SPORT WORLD

SIX HITS IN ONE INNING?

CHANCE TO WIN SEASON PASS.

SCHEDULE OF 154 GAMES TO STICK

Farrell Left Behind to Improve Team—New Era in Pittsburg Starts Today.

BY NIE.

YESTERDAY, an off day in the St. Louis baseball world, was one of the discussions among the fans. It is too early to talk about the possibilities of the teams in the races for the flags, but one thing that was talked about was the foolishness of adhering to the 154 game schedule. There is little hope that any change will be made, however. It was just as cold last season when the games began and there was just as much talk about a 140 game schedule as there is now, but nothing came of it. The American League would willingly adopt a shorter plan of campaign, but it would be almost impossible to do so without the co-operation of the older body for there would be many conflicting dates in cities with teams in both organizations.

UP in Chicago they're already talking about the old days when St. Louis was a wide-open town. One sporting writer tells the following story of "Big Steve" Callahan who, in the "Old Times," was quite a character hereabouts.

Callahan, broke, recently attended the sale of the Abbott, when that peerless bit of horseflesh was knocked down for $38,000. Callahan sauntered off into an adjoining saloon and restaurant. There, on the lunch counter, lay recumbent a beautifully-basted turkey of huge dimensions.

"Make me a sandwich," ordered Steve of the dusky attendant back of the lunch counter.

The darky took his keen-edged blade in hand and dexterously pealed off a sliver—just enough to suggest turkey between the layers of bread.

"Steve looked at the turkey, the sandwich, and then at the darky.

"Give me a glass of beer," growled Steve, reprovingly. This was served, and in a trice both beer and sandwich had disappeared. Steve shelled out his "case" dollar, tossed it at the servant, and the latter handed his customer 55 cents in change—40 cents for the sandwich and 5 cents for the amber.

This was too much for Steve. He was taken off his feet, and for a moment failed utterly of articulation. By a supreme effort finally, Steve exclaimed:

"Here, you, what do you mean?"

"Dat's right, sah; 40 cents fo de turk an' 5 cents fo de beer," exclaimed the waiter.

"Well, then here," gasped Steve, "I only need a nickel for car fare. I'll bet you the rest of this bank roll of mine that, at that rate, that bird of your will bring more than The Abbott did half an hour ago!"

HAMMER swingers to the contrary notwithstanding, there is nothing back of the fact that Farrell is in St. Louis while the Cardinals are in Pittsburg, except a desire on the part of Nichols to strengthen the team. If Farrell is the best second baseman in the bunch he will play second base. If anybody else—Murch et al.—holds down the bag just as well and manages to crowd in more hits than Farrell did, then there will be a new man at the place when the team gets back. At this time of the year not a man is sure of his job, and, veteran or not, every player must make good in order to hold down his place. This is going to be a great season for baseball in St. Louis—the greatest, perhaps, that the city has ever known—and fans are going to demand better ball. When the racetracks wind up their business to come within the pale of the law there will be no opposition to the national game and the Polo Grounds in New York will not have as easy a time as last year in establishing record figures for attendance. That, by the way, calls to mind the press agents' report of the opening game in New York. There is no way that 40,000 people could be crowded into the Polo Grounds and room still be left for a game of seven-up, to say nothing of a game of baseball. The team which shares the receipts with the Giants could possibly give out a nearer estimate of the real attendance.

Mellody Beat McCarthy.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

SPOKANE, Wash., April 19.—"Honey" Mellody of Boston, for the second time demonstrated his superiority over Jerry McCarthy of Butte when he put him out in the 11th round of what was to have been a 20-round go before the Spokane Amateur Athletic Club last night. The fight was fast throughout, Mellody being the aggressor.

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CARDINALS ARE IN THE SMOKY CITY

St. Louisas Help Pirates Celebrate Opening of the Baseball Season in Pittsburg.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

PITTSBURG, Pa., April 19.—The St. Louis Cardinals are here to open the season today with the Pirates, and this is to be a gala day in the history of Pittsburg sport. The Pirates were given a rousing welcome on their home coming from their short trip, but this afternoon, which marks the inauguration of the local season, all previous efforts will be outdone. There will be bands of music and a parade to the park, in which the St. Louisans will take part.

A monster crowd is expected to turn out for the game, although the weather promises to be anything but the sort that fans enjoy. Overcoats will be in order, and some errors are to be expected from both sides as a result.

Fred Clark expects to pitch Philippi today, and Nichols will likely officiate for the Cardinals.

All the new players were given a cordial reception, Peitz, Clymer and Clancy being the particular favorites.

Clarke Pays Fine.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

PITTSBURG, Pa., April 19.—Manager Fred Clarke of the Pittsburg team, who was "benched" at Cincinnati Saturday and was the first player in the National League to be penalized this season, has mailed his personal check to President Pulliam to pay the fine. Clarke announced that he is sorry and will frame the cancelled check and hang it in the clubhouse as a warning to other players as to the danger of contradicting the umpire.

SALOONKEEPER ACCUSED.

Jones Charged With Permitting Minors to Play Pool.

William P. Jones of 2630 University place was arrested by Policeman Deneen of the Third district Wednesday afternoon on a warrant charging him with permitting minors to play on the pool tables in his saloon at the number given.

The case against Jones is based on the charge that on last Saturday night the police found Ben Zurmiller, aged 15, and Henry Zurmiller, aged 17, both of 2537 University place, and Willis Riley, aged 15, and Edward Riley, aged 17, both of 2807 Elliott avenue, playing pool in Jones' saloon in violation of the ordinance which makes it a misdemeanor for minors to be allowed to play pool in saloons. Jnes gave bond and his case will be set for trial in Judge Moore's court.

Busy Days for the Lovers of Horses on the Boulevards

AMATEUR BASEBALL

The Eclipses have organized for the season and desire games with teams playing in the 17-year-old class. Address A. C. Taylor, care Third National Bank.

The Post-Dispatch Juniors would like to arrange games with all teams playing in the 14-year-old class. Games to be played on Sunday. Address William Carr, 2109 Mullanphy street.

The Blue Ribbons defeated the Cherry Diamonds in a slugging match by the score of 19 to 17. The winners would like to arrange a game with teams playing in the 12 and 13 year old class. Address F. HannBal, 904 Monroe street.

The Silver Leafs would like to sign a good pitcher and third baseman, both who play in the 15 and 16 year old class. Address D. Graft, 1533 South Seventh street.

The Platt Juniors defeated the Ben Miller Juniors in a close game by the score of 6 to 5. The winners would like to arrange a practice game with teams playing in the 12 and 13 year old class. Address Louis Schneider, 2915 Hickory street.

The Diamonds would like to arrange games with all teams playing in the 17 and 18 year old class for April 30 and May 7, the O'Fallon Juniors and the Ferns desired. Address R. C. Offer, 1520 Wash street.

Thursday's Union Entries.

First race, four and one-half furlongs, 2-year-olds, purse:

Running Miss	105	My Louise	105
Colonial Lady	110	Lila M.	105
Rivaral	105		

Second race, seven furlongs, 4-year-olds and up, selling:

Scoapa	106	Rudabek	102
Alice Commoner	101	Miss Aubry	104
Duellist	106	*Cap and Gown	96
*Shaitan	96	*Wellesley	101
Scorpolette	104	*Tempt	98
*Illhe Blaze	104	Little Margaret	104

Third race, six furlongs, 3-year-olds and up, purse, selling:

*Centigram	88	Springbrook	107
Bruston	97	*Remorse	104
*Carl Kahler	104	*Orsvina	113
Caterpillar	109	Orchestra	93
*Clandestine	90	Operator	104
Prince of Pilsen	109	*Banana Cream	102
Prince Real	109		

Fourth race, Mound City handicap, mile and 70 yards:

Rankin	88	Thistle Do	112
Aden	104	Toe Don	113
Luralighter	110	Little Giant	95

Fifth race, mile and one-sixteenth, 3-year-olds and up, purse, selling:

Cateline	101	*Attila	107
El Gohr	109	Miss Rillie	106
*By Play	93	Compass	106
Honda	106		

Sixth race, seven furlongs, 4-year-olds and up, selling:

Lady Ray	101	T. G. Scarborough	103
Flying Charcoal	108	Erbe	109
*Wierd	101	Dee Sam	104
Moderator	109	Twemlow	106
Morendo	106	Ernest Parham	109
*Morris Volmer	104	A Convict	106

*Apprentice allowance claimed.

Feared a Real Punch.

From the Louisville Courier-Journal.

Moriarity: Phwat's this here Roman punch they're goin' to introjooce at th' banquet tonight?

Mulvaney: Some sort av woman's tipple, I'm towld. Phwat do yez want to know fer?

Moriarity: Bedad, I thought it moight be some new uppercut.

Getting Back at Him.

From the Philadelphia Inquirer.

He: We must economize. Suppose, darling, that you try your hand at making your clothes?

She: O, George, dear, I never could do that! Suppose I begin by trying to make yours?

BASEBALL SCORE

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Acme Baseball Scoring System—Patent Applied for.

ST. LOUIS AT PITTSBURG

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PITTSBURG	1															

BROOKLYN AT BOSTON.

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Batteries: Brooklyn—Strickett and Ritter. Boston—Wilhelm and Needham. Umpires—Emslie and Bauswine.

BROOKLYN SECOND GAME

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PHILADELPHIA AT NEW YORK.

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AMERICAN LEAGUE

CLEVELAND AT ST. LOUIS.

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IN BOTH LEAGUES.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Philadelphia	3	0	1.000
New York	2	0	1.000
Pittsburg	3	1	.750
St. Louis	2	2	.500
Chicago	2	2	.500
Boston	1	2	.333
Cincinnati	1	3	.250
Brooklyn	0	4	.000

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
New York	1	0	1.000
Philadelphia	1	0	1.000
Cleveland	1	0	1.000
Chicago	1	1	.750
St. Louis	1	3	.250
Washington	1	3	.250
Detroit	0	1	.000
Boston	0	3	.000

Jack Ashton Defeated.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

BALTIMORE, April 19.—The veteran Jack Ashton of Philadelphia, the conqueror of Young Erne, was last night defeated by Kid Gilbert of Baltimore in the ninth round in the Nonpareil Athletic Club. Although not badly beaten, Ashton was glad to quit and deliberately fouled the Kid after being warned by Referee A. L. McMurry. The bout was scheduled to go 15 rounds, but when Ashton found that Gilbert was his master he endeavored to turn the contest into a wrestling match.

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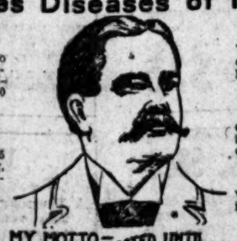

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DONLIN IS AFTER SCALP OF WAGNER

"Quiet Mike" Issues a Statement to the Fans and the "Flying Dutchman."

If Hans Wagner is to be beaten for the batting championship of the National League this year, Mike Donlin, the center fielder for the Giants, thinks he has a "hunch" to do it.

Last season Donlin batted at a fine clip until he fell into disfavor at Cincinnati and was traded to New York. While he was better pleased after the exchange with his local surroundings, he was not in the game often enough to keep his eye well polished. In addition to that, he was a victim of remorse. He felt keenly the position in which he had been placed.

This spring he, at least, has taken excellent care of himself and is batting the ball in fine shape. "I'm not making any fool promises or rash statements," said he recently, "but I'm going ahead, determined to do my best and give the people in New York all the baseball there is in me. I am in good physical condition and I propose to remain that way. I guess I have had my share of trouble in this world and I want to keep out of it for a while. I know that I am not all in as a ball player, and there is no man on the team more anxious than I to help bring the pennant to New York another year. I shall be right in the game from the start, and if I don't have any bad luck I mean to let the other fellows know I am after them. That Pittsburg Dutchman has had a monopoly in the batting in the National League for so long that I suppose he thinks he has got it copyrighted. Maybe I can fool him. If I can, you bet I'll do it. If things break right with me I guess I can do a little batting around the .300 mark myself."

Donlin, like Wagner, is a free hitter, and when going at his best clip showers three-baggers and doubles around the strawberry patches in the outfields. In addition, he is a fast base runner, a fairly good fielder and an average thrower. McGraw wants him for inside work.

M'GOVERN VISITS THE RACE TRACKS

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, April 19.—Terry McGovern, the prize fighter, who has been in the public of late because of alleged mental troubles and his desire to mix up things with "Young Corbett" in a hotel a few nights ago, was at the Aqueduct track yesterday. He paraded around the lawn and the betting ring in a conspicuous manner. In the past he has been one of the most retiring of sporting men, except for a nervous manner, his presence would not have attracted attention, for he was apparently as strong and robust as at any period in his life. When Terry was asked why he had taken French leave of the sanitarium in Connecticut where he had stopped for a brief period, he said:

"I did not like it. It was too quiet up there. Besides I'd rather be with the boys at the racetracks. I like to see the horses race and put down a bet occasionally. I am just as well off in old New York as I am in Connetiçut."

YALE ANNOUNCES SWIMMING TEAM

Swimming Instructor Alex Meffert of the Missouri Athletic Club has announced the list of entries for the dual swimming meet with Yale Saturday night.

As Yale has declined to put a man against Marquard Schwarz in the 220-yard swim, Meffert will use the boy who defeated Capt. Reid of Yale last year on the polo team. This will give M. A. C. an excellent chance to win the event.

The entries in the various events of the meet are as follows:

25-yard swim with feet tied—Yale, S. B. Johnston; M. A. C., Laughlin.

50-yard swim—Yale, S. B. Johnston; M. A. C., Laughlin.

80-yard swim—Yale, D. R. Meigs; M. A. C., M. Schwarz.

Relay race—Yale, P. T. Neal, D. R. Meigs, S. B. Johnson, S. B. Cook; M. A. C., M. Schwarz, O. Schwarz, Orthwein, Evans and Laughlin.

Water polo game—Yale, S. B. Cook rf, P. T. Neal center, J. C. Curtis lf, E. H. Hart halfback, F. L. Nuhn and O. M. Reid, goals; M. A. C. Goessling rf, Laughlin goals; M. A. C. Goessling rf, Laughlin center, Tueppen lf, Evans halfback, Meyers and Schreiner goals; Stein substitute.

The Empires, who play in the 18-year-old class, would like to arrange for games. Address W. J. Manahon, 2715A St. Louis avenue.

The Bethlehems defeated the Walnut Parks in a one-sided game by the score of 8 to 0. The feature of the game was the pitching of Jackson for the winners.

The Coco-Colas have reorganized for the season under the management of George Hawling. They played and won their first game by defeating the Scrogie-Vandervoorts by the top-heavy score of 20 to 0.

WEST AFTER THE FENCING LAURELS

NEW YORK, April 19.—Three entries from Chicago have been received and for the first time in the history of the Amateur Fencers' League of America, the West will be represented in the national fencing championship tournament, which will be held next week on Friday and Saturday nights in the New York Athletic Club. The Chicago representatives will all compete in the foils and perhaps with the sabers.

OLD PEOPLE

Their Pains and Ailments

Any taint of the blood quickly shows itself with old people, and troubles, which a younger, more vigorous constitution holds in check, take possession of those of advanced years. A mole, wart or pimple often begins to inflame and fester, terminating in a sore that refuses to heal. Wandering pains of a rheumatic character are almost constant, the joints get stiff and the muscles sore, while sleeplessness and nervousness make life a burden. The natural activity of the body is not so great in old age and all the organs get dull and sluggish, failing to carry out the waste matters and poisons accumulating in the system and they are taken up and absorbed by the blood, rendering it weak and unable to properly nourish the system. There is no reason why old age should not be as healthy as youth if the blood is kept pure and strong. S. S. S. is purely vegetable and is the safest and best blood purifier and tonic for old people, because it is gentle, but at the same time thorough in its action, purifying the blood of all poisons and foreign matter, strengthening it and toning up the entire system by its fine tonic effect. Almost from the first dose the appetite increases, the general health begins to improve and the pains and ailments pass away.

I had a severe attack of La Grippe, which left me almost a physical wreck. To add to my wretched condition, Rheumatism developed. In a short time after beginning S. S. S. I was relieved of the pains and have gained in flesh and strength and my general health is better than for years. I heartily recommend S. S. S. for all blood diseases.

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There are thousands of men deceived by unskilled doctors who claim to cure Varicocele by electricity, suspensories and many other deceptive schemes, and this is why there are so many who have become so skeptical as to think there is no cure for them. There never was a cure for Varicocele except by surgical operation or my methods. Surgical operations are often dangerous, unsuccessful and painful.

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AWOKE ON STAIRS TO FIGHT TWO

Louis Siesce Says Robbers Attacked Him Asleep Outside His Door.

When Louis Sciesce went home at 11 o'clock Tuesday night he fell asleep at the top of the stairs. He resides on the second floor at 701 North Fifteenth street.

Two men crept up the stairs. It was dark, and they stumbled over the motionless form of the sleeping Sciesce. Like the Turk in the poem, he awoke, not to die 'mid flame and smoke, but to give the battle to the intruders.

The three men rolled down stairs in a heap, and one of them drew a knife and cut Sciesce over the left eye. Then both visitors escaped.

James Scott, aged 25 years, and Lote Major, aged 20, addresses unknown to the police, were arrested Wednesday morning. They were locked up at the Four Courts. Sciesce says they are the men with whom he fought, and warrants charging them with attempted robbery will be asked.

$21.00 St. Louis to New York via Big Four. Stop-over Washington and Philadelphia.

KALEIEFF DIES IN TWO WEEKS

Speedy Execution Awaits the Assassin of the Grand Duke Sergius.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 19.—The plea at Moscow yesterday of Kaleieff, who was sentenced to death for the assassination of Grand Duke Sergius, that a state of civil war exists in Russia and that he was a prisoner of war and not an ordinary prisoner accused of a crime, is considered here to indidate the position which the terrorists will assume hereafter. Kaleieff, having been tried by a special commission of the Senate, against which there is no appeal, will be hanged probably within a fortnight.

S—Spring Tans for men, $3.50 to $6. G. H. T—Boehmer Shoe Co., 410-412 N. Broadway.

Central Church Social.

One of the most pleasant socials ever held by the young members of Central Presbyterian Church, Garrison and Delmonnes, was attended by about sixty members of the Young Men's Berean Club and the young ladies' Bible class. Several interesting parlor games were interspersed with musical numbers, and the evening's entertainment closed with refreshments.

United Irish League Meeting.

An open meeting of the St. Louis branches of the United Irish League of America will be held this evening in the hall on Grand avenue, a few doors north of Easton avenue. John S. Leahy will speak on "Leading Phases of the Irish National Movement."

RAID ON STOCKS CAUSES BIG DROP

Northern Securities Falls 16 Points, as Result of Trick, It Is Thought.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, April 19.—Wall street is greatly excited by an apparent raid upon Northern Securities on the curb and rumors affecting the relations of the two parties concerned in Northern Pacific.

One rumor was that Hill and Morgan had obtained control of the Union Pacific and were preparing to oust Harriman. The other was that Harriman had executed a counter move and had unloaded all of his Union Pacific holdings in Northern Securities, amounting to $82,000,000 worth of stock, thereby refusing to participate in the Hill plan for a distribution of Northern Securities assets.

The raid on Northern Securities on the curb broke the price 16 points and upset the market here and in London. It began in a foolish misinterpretation of the action of the officers of the Northern Securities in closing transfer books Monday.

The notion got abroad—or was purposely set afloat—that those who failed to turn in their Northern Securities stock before the closing of the books would lose their right to participate in the coming distribution of the assets of the company. Thousands of shares were sold and stop-loss orders were uncovered which added to the weakness.

It was probably a shrewd and successful trick to dislodge the shares and buy them up at bargain-counter prices.

The distribution of Northern Securities assets will begin at once. A circular was sent last night by the company, asking stockholders to deposit their stock at the company's office immediately for exchange under the plan adopted at the special meeting of April 21, 1904.

Go to Laughlin's, 7th and Locust, for good things to eat. After theater service a specialty.

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JUDGE IS POUNDED BY WOMAN

Not in Court, but During Proceedings of Baptist Sunday School Convention.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

LAFAYETTE, Ala., April 19.—During the proceedings of the Baptist Sunday school convention Miss Mary Trent pounded Judge N. D. Denson with her fist for ruling her out of order. The young woman desired to ask some questions, which the judge, who is superintendent of the Sunday school, considered irrelevant and impertinent.

Several painful blows were inflicted on the judge's head before the young woman could be pulled away. Judge Denson is a member of the Supreme Court and well known throughout the state.

BIG DEAL IN ST. LOUIS WHEAT OPTION

Corwin H. Spencer, Reputed Ally of Gates, Said to Have the Long End.

LIKELY TO END IN COURTS.

Quality of Wheat Being Held for Delivery Likely to Cause Complications.

A deal of no mean proportions is drawing to a close in the wheat option in St. Louis.

Corwin H. Spencer is generally credited with being an ally of John W. Gates, who organized the clique who are holding the long end—and apparently the profit end—of the deal in May wheat on the Chicago Board of Trade. Mr. Spencer, associated with Thomas Akin, is reported to hold the long end of the local deal. It is said that the local deal is almost certain to end in the courts over the quality of the wheat which is being held for delivery.

The Chicago deal, according to those who have sold options on May delivery wheat and are unable to buy the real grain for delivery, will end in the courts if the Gates people try to force the price for settlement too high.

Began Buying Last August.

According to general belief, and facts are few in a wheat deal, the Gates crowd began buying wheat for May delivery last August or before, when the price was below 90 cents a bushel. Each bushel they bought by option, carried with it the promise of the seller to deliver to them a bushel of real wheat by 11:30 on the morning of May 31, 1905. Failure to do so carries with it an obligation on the part of the seller to pay the difference between the price made originally and the price at the close of the market.

The famous Leiter deal closed at near $1.80. If the Gates deal should close at the same price, it would mean that the sellers to Gates at 90 cents a bushel must pay to Gates and his supporters 90 cents for each bushel in default of not delivering the real wheat.

The early reports of the Gates purchases placed them at 30,000,000. Later reports fix the amount at 20,000,000. There is no check for these statements other than the word of the managers.

Stored in the Elevators.

April 15, when the last statement was issued, there was in store in elevators in the chief grain points in the United States 22,253,000 bushels, of which 1,713,000 was in Chicago. The week before the total was 28,422,000. The decrease of 1,170,000 represents the wheat ground into flour, exported or made into breakfast foods. Of this total not more than one-fourth, at the most, will grade into "contract" wheat, the kind the selling of wheat options calls for. If that is all rushed into the Chicago elevators during May, there will be about 5,500,000 bushels for delivery.

The question of how much is held by farmers, millers and small town elevators is a speculative one. Those of the "shorts" who hope to deliver as much wheat as possible, say they will buy enough to bring the total to 8,000,000 or 10,000,000 bushels. Messrs. Spencer and Gates have been quoted as saying this claim is absurd. That not over 7,500,000 bushels can be sent there. In either case it will mean a cash settlement on 10,000,000 bu or more in case the purchase figures are right at 20,000,000 bu.

First Deliveries May 1.

The first deliveries will be made May 1 at the price quoted on May options that day. After the delivery Gates will have to pay the storage and insurance. The actual wheat will then be his. He must hold it until May 31, or it could be delivered to him again.

The present price of contract wheat in Chicago is $1.15½ to $1.17 on the Chicago market and $1.10 in St. Louis. The Chicago market grades wheat higher than St. Louis and only the best wheat here can get in there. The most of it must be cleaned over and polished. The expense of getting wheat to Chicago is about 4 cents a bushel. The May option in Chicago closed at $1.15¼. This is generally expected to advance soon.

The present values of wheat are regarded as speculative, as gauged by export value, the worth of wheat is not over 90 cents.

Since the prospect of the close of the May deal in Chicago has advanced prices of wheat, the millers have refused to buy only when forced to. Flour based on the high priced wheat is a drug on the market and what flour mills that are not shut down are running very light and the stocks of flour throughout the country are getting very low. There is no prospect of relief until the Gates wheat is released, and that is uncertain. The speculators are likely to buy July options again and hold their stock of wheat until it matures at the end of July. The new crop will not be strong in the market for the July option.

It has been estimated that carrying the Gates wheat through May and holding the wheat delivered for a reasonable price will require $20,000,000. Much of this can be borrowed on the wheat after the first deliveries are made, as banks take elevator wheat as security.

Gates Prepared for Deal.

Before coming west to take charge of the deal, Gates sold a great amount of railroad and other stocks to have cash available. He has associated with him, according to report, men of money, such as Henry Little of the Pillsbury mills, Minneapolis, A. D. Thomson and Robert Pringle of Chicago, and eastern men. Charles Schwab was believed to be in the deal, but withdrew.

Should this settlement go into the courts, the clique would be confronted with an Illinois law against "cornering" a necessity. If they lost the case, the judge would fix a selling price on what he believed to be a real value of wheat.

In St. Louis is a stock of 1,123,034 bu of contract wheat which will not go to Chicago. It is largely Russian wheat grown in Oregon and brought here and mixed with good local wheat and graded as No. 2 or contract wheat. The millers say it is not worth the grade or the price of that grade by 10 cents a bushel. It is this wheat that it is expected Spencer and Akin will oppose receiving on contracts they hold. This wheat is said to be entirely out of class for Chicago delivery.

John T. Milliken is said to have sold options on much of this wheat and to be greatly interested in the question of delivery.

Agents, bankers, butlers, canvassers, cashiers, clerks, coachmen, collectors, contractors and cooks all go to the nearest drug store and send an advertisement to the Post-Dispatch when they want to accomplish something in a few hours. Seeing is believing. Consult today's Want pages.

CHILD SCALDED IN TUB.

Mother's Prompt Rescue Saves Life of Daughter.

Quick action by Mrs. Alice Bushmiller of 7014 Lindenwood place Monday afternoon saved the life of her daughter, Margaret, 16 months old, who, while playing on the steps in the rear of the home, fell into a tub of boiling water. Mrs. Bushmiller had placed the tub on the ground at the foot of the steps and had returned to the house for some clothes.

In some way the little girl lost her balance and fell into the tub. Her screams attracted the mother who rescued the child before she was completely submerged. Little Margaret was severely scalded, while Mrs. Bushmiller's hands were also slightly burned.

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Select Easter Modes

YOUR Easter requirements can be splendidly and advantageously satisfied from the magnificent Easter stocks that now abound in every department of Famous—these special trade inducements arranged for Thursday demonstrate our value-giving supremacy.

Collar and Cuff Sets
39c Values for 21c
Our Neckwear Section presents this unusual bargain attraction for Thursday—Nobby Easter Collar and Cuff Sets—made of swiss embroideries and Val. laces in the newest conceits proper this season—styles and qualities that sell elsewhere for 39c—Thursday at Famous while 75 dozen last—very special, per set.. **21c**

Famous BROADWAY & MORGAN
WE GIVE EAGLE TRADING STAMPS.

Carriage Bags
89c Values for 42c
A tempting Easter special for Thursday. Walrus Grain Leather Bags—9¼-inch size—riveted frames—gunmetal finish—heavy braided leather handle—fitted with a neat moire lined card case and change purse—regular 89c value—Thursday only—very very special, for..... **42c**

You'll be thoroughly interested in Thursday's special bargain attractions in

Women's Correct Easter Apparel

$18.50 Silk Suits, $11.75
Fashionable Silk Dresses for Easter wear can be secured very much underpriced if you attend and profit by this sale Thursday at Famous—made of soft chiffon and the heavy rustling quality of taffeta silk—front is neatly tucked and finished with strap and button trimmings—in browns, blues, greens and black in the plain or fancy effects—worth $18—Thursday, at Famous—special for..... **11.75**

$5 Sateen Dresses for $2.95
Made of soft, glossy and rich-looking Sateen, in the new Foulard patterns—waist tucked, plaited and trimmed and skirt kilted and cut amply full—they come in pretty browns, blues and grays—regular $5.00 values—Thursday special **2.95**

$12.50 New Silk Coats, $7.95
Handsome Blouse and Box Coats—made of guaranteed taffeta—tucked back and front—also loose tucked coats with ruching in collar—new full sleeves—coats that would sell for $12.50 elsewhere—Thursday, choice of various styles for **7.95**

$7.00 Covert Coats, $3.95
Fashionable outergarments for Easter and spring service—three smartly tailored models—collarless effect or with stitched collar—full sleeve with narrow turn-back cuffs—of all wool covert in the new tan shade—Thursday, choice for **3.95**

$15 Silk-Lined Voile Skirts, $5.75
Beautiful Skirts, just the thing for Easter and spring wear—made of handsome French voile and twine cloth, trimmed with taffeta bands and ornaments, made over heavy rustling taffeta drop skirt—perfectly tailored and graceful in hang—blue and black. These skirts are well worth $15. Just enough for Thursday's selling—while they last, very special, choice for..... **5.75**

$5 Silk and Lawn Waists, $2.95
Beautiful Lawns, Organdies, China Silk and Embroidered Handkerchief Linen Waists—dainty lace insertion, square and round yokes—lace trimmed and embroidered fronts—deep lace cuffs—fully 25 distinct styles—$5.00 values—Thursday, choice for..... **2.95**

$3.00 Jap Silk Waists, $1.95
Splendid quality washable Jap silk waists, V-shaped lace and insertion yoke—tucked front—open back—new full sleeves with long cuffs prettily edged with lace—$3 values—Thursday, choice for..... **1.95**

Women's $1.25 Waists, 67c
New Madras Waists, with full-tucked fronts and new sleeves—splendid quality lawn waists, with row of insertion down front and tucks on each side—correctly made and good fitting $1.25 waists—Thursday special for **67c**

Women's Skirts
$3, $3.50 and $4 Values for $1.48
These are made of splendid cambric in a number of catchy style effects—lawn flounce with deep insertion of 4-inch Cluny lace—extra ruffle with two rows of lace and edged to match. Another style has lawn flounce with lace insertion and edge and finished with embroidery beading and ribbon. Actually worth $3.00, $3.50 and $4.00—Thursday only at Famous—while 22 dozen last—choice for..... **1.48**

Women's Hosiery
50c Values for 29c
Gray or champagne allover lace lisle Hose—black lisle with lace embroidered boot and various effects in fancy vertical and cross stripes—actual 50c values—Thursday special for **29c**

A Thursday Special in Charming
EASTER MILLINERY

$6 Trimmed Hats, $3.50
If you have deferred selecting that Easter hat till now, Thursday's special offering will intensely interest you—strictly hand-made trimmed hats in this spring's most fashionable and practical effects—of high-class braids, chiffons, ribbons, flowers and foliages—each one silk-lined—all colors—hats that are worth and would readily sell for $6—Thursday at Famous, while 150 of them last—very special, choice for..... **3.50**

Men's Shirts
$1 and $1.25 Values, 47c
All that remain from our recent great purchase from the "NOX ALL" shirt factory to go Thursday at this further reduced price—made of the very best percales, madras, penangs and cords, in the novelty striped and plaid effects in black and white, pink and white, also blue and white figures—the dressy plain white imported madras shirts are also included—absolute $1 and $1.25 qualities—Thursday at Famous, while they last, choice for..... **47c**

Women's Corsets
$1.50 Values for 75c
The new high bust and medium long hip, also girdle top and long hip models—made of excellent quality batiste—splendidly boned—all sizes—standard $1.50 values—Thursday only—choice for..... **75c**

Men's and Young Men's Correct Easter
Suits and Topcoats

Clothes that you can buy and wear with the full assurance that they are all that good clothes should be. The Suits are built of strictly pure wool fabrics in the latest pattern and color effects—unmatchable under $15 elsewhere. The Topcoats are made of dependable covert cloths, in all the new grays, browns, tan and olive shades; also fancy Scotch mixtures—silk, serge or Venetian lined—the proper lengths—broad shoulders—close-fitting collars, strictly hand-tailored throughout—$16.50 and $18.00 is what they'd cost you in other stores—Thursday, at Famous, choice for..... **12.50**

Rogers, Peet & Co.'s
Easter Clothes for Men
Express the topmost accomplishments of clothes excellence. These garments are in every way equal to the most artistic tailored-to-order products and cost about one-half—the largest and best lines of Rogers, Peet & Co.'s Suits and Topcoats we have ever exhibited now await your choosing at Famous..... **$18 to $35**

Boys' Easter Suits
$6 and $7 Values for $3.85
Our patrons will be quick to appreciate such a sterling bargain, coming just before Easter. Thursday we offer at this bargain price Boys' Russian Blouse Suits, Eton Sailor Suits, Double-breasted Two-piece Suits, Norfolk Suits, with straight knee pants or knicker-bockers—fancy fabrics in the new stylish patterns—also serges, in plain blue and all colors—elegantly made, beautifully trimmed—Suits that are splendid $6.00 and $7.00 values—Thursday, at Famous, as an extra special, choice for..... **3.85**

Boys' Confirmation Suits
$6 Kind Thursday for $4.50
Made of 16-oz. black clay worsted—elegantly tailored and trimmed—silk-sewed throughout—in the two-piece double-breasted and Norfolk style—worth $6—as a special inducement for Thursday buying, we offer them at this low price—choice for **4.50**

BOYS' SUMMER BLOUSES—In white and colors. A big assortment of new patterns, $1.00 grades—Thursday..... **69c**

BOYS' SUSPENDERS—Splendid French webbings—plain white and colors—regular 35c kind—Thursday..... **19c**

BOYS' BELTS—Patent leather and tan and black calfskin—also "Buster Brown" Belts, worth 50c—Thursday **25c**

FREE! A Baseball and Bat free with Boys' Suits at $2.50 and over.

Women's $1 and $1.25 Kid Gloves, 50c

Just in time for Easter buying, too—Thursday we offer an importer's single line of such well-known gloves as the "Perfection," "Josephine" and other popular brands, in various colors, sizes and effects—every pair perfect and regularly sold for $1.00 and $1.25 pair—we secured them at a price that permits our passing them to our patrons at this bargain price—just enough for one day's selling—Thursday while they last—very special at, pair..... **50c**

Women's $2.50 Oxfords, $1.90
A Thursday special that convincingly proves that your Easter footwear can best be bought at Famous—six styles—choice of this spring's dressiest effects—patent leather, vici kid or tan Russia calf Bluchers—vici kid Oxfords and chocolate or black vici kid Gibson ties—all the correct toe shapes and heels—large and oblong eyelets—sizes 2½ to 8—A to E widths—from six of the strongest $2.50 lines shown this season—Thursday at Famous, choice for..... **1.90**

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PART TWO
"FIRST IN EVERYTHING."

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The Best Bargains IN HORSES AND VEHICLES
Are to be found every day through
POST-DISPATCH WANTS
Read the Horses and Vehicles Ads today. Failing to find there what you want, ADVERTISE FOR IT.
Every Druggist a Post-Dispatch Agent.

SCORES THE CHARITY OF PHILANTHROPISTS

Gov. Cummins Arraigns Carnegie and Rockefeller for Their Securing Great Wealth.

DES MOINES, Io., April 19.—"Is it not queer that Andrew Carnegie, who willingly stimulated and participated in the benefits of the wickedest commercial organization ever designed by man, should take his share of the ill-gotten gains of this combination and pour it into the divinest channels ever hewn out by man?

"Is it not queer that John D. Rockefeller, who personally is said to be a man of good character, is willing to acquire a fortune of untold millions through a system whose ways are unquestionably evil and unrighteous and use it to build up humanity to a higher level?"

Thus spoke Gov. A. B. Cummins at the annual dinner of the Y. M. C. A., in responding to the toast: "The kind of men the world needs."

"I do not discourage our present day civilization and all the wonderful things that it has achieved in a material way," said Gov. Cummins. "But the moral muscles of these days are the flabbiest that ever moved humanity in the world, as to move rich men to give millions for the good of humanity and yet find that the moral tendons of heart and mind are as rotten as ever."

A Lightning Throw.

Six Hits Editor.

First batter makes hit to left field.

Second batter makes hit to right field and first batter is put out trying for third base and second batter is put out trying for second base on the throw to third base.

Third batter makes hit to center field.

Fourth batter makes hit to center field, third batter going to second.

Fifth batter bunts to third and beats throw to first.

Sixth batter makes line hit to center fielder, who, by quick return to second base, forces fifth batter out before third batter crosses home plate.

The trend of fashion for men indicates, for the coming season, cheerfulness in color tones, particularly in the accessories, which, above all, are the important items of correctly dressed men.

Easter Neckwear, in the very new colorings, each cravat absolutely exclusive.

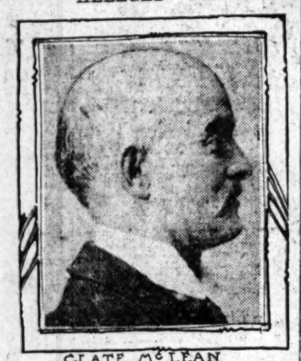
Grey Gloves, in several new shades, and black embroidered backs.

Fine Batiste, and Scotch Madras Shirts, the materials our own direct importation, and then custom made for us into ready shirts.

Gentlemen will find here the exclusiveness, and the completeness of fine furnishings, they often have paid for excessively, by placing their orders out of town.

Werner Bros.
The Republic Bldg.,
On Olive St. at Seventh.

WARRANTS ISSUED FOR ALLEGED "CON" MEN.



CLATE McLEAN

PAUL BUSCH.

Warrants were issued Wednesday morning charging Paul Busch, alias William E. Stratton, and Clate McLean, alias Thompson, known to the police as confidence men, with attempting to obtain money by false pretenses, and they will be taken to jail to await trial in the Court of Criminal Correction.

As was told in the Post-Dispatch Tuesday, the men were arrested at the St. Nicholas Hotel at noon Tuesday, as a result of their efforts to sell 20,000 shares of mining stock to Detective Harry Freese for $2000. Freese answered an advertisement for a partner with $2000 to invest in a "legitimate" proposition. He found Busch, who went under the name of Stratton, and arranged to meet him at the St. Nicholas. The meeting was well under way, and Busch was telling Freese what a "good thing" was in his reach when Thompson came in with the 20,000 shares. Freese gave a signal, and Detective Darby O'Brien, who had been calmly reading a newspaper in the room, walked over and assisted in the arrest of both men.

DIAZ TO GO ON WORLD TOUR

President of Mexico Contemplates Triumphal Journey When Term of Office Expires.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW ORLEANS, April 19.—According to a statement made here today by Col. W. J. Beress of Guerrero, Mexico, President Diaz of Mexico will go on a triumphal foreign tour following the expiration of his term of office.

Several members of President Diaz's cabinet are planning the tour in response to invitations extended Senor Diaz to visit almost every country in Europe. He will also visit the leading cities in the United States before returning to Mexico City.

"It is understood," said Col. Degress, "that the vice-president, upon assuming charge, will install a new cabinet, his personal friends. There has been no objection to this from any quarter and the government bids fair to run along as smoothly during the absence of the President as it has during his long term.

"This will be the second time he has been out of the republic. The previous occasion being about 1882, when he married his present wife and spent six months in the United States."

HONK! HONK! GET RIGHT COLOR

License Commissioner Will Cause Arrest of Autoists Who Don't Secure New Licenses.

License Commissioner Clifford announced Wednesday morning that, beginning next Monday, he will cause the arrest of all owners of automobiles whose machines do not display the license tag for 1905, which is red in color with white letters, distinguishing it from the blue and white license tag of 1904.

A short time ago the license commissioner began issuing the license tags for this year of the same color scheme and general design as those of the preceding year. He claims to have discovered that the old 1904 tags have in some instances been changed by the substitution of a figure 5 for a 4 into 1905 tags, and, in consequence, he has called in all the tags already issued and expects to have the matter straightened out by Monday, and the red tags issued in place of the blue.

The license fee for automobiles is $10 per year. License Commissioner Clifford estimates that there are 5000 automobiles in St. Louis, and thus far, he says, only about five hundred have been licensed for 1905.

MRS. INCH WANTS DIVORCE.

Husband's Disposition, She Says, Made Her Nervous.

Estelle Frances Inch filed suit for divorce in the Circuit court Wednesday against Harvey W. Inch, to whom she was married on Christmas Eve, 1890. They separated June 1, 1902.

Mrs. Inch alleges desertion and habitual intoxication as two of her principal reasons for asking divorce.

She also says that her husband neglected to pay board bills and that his quarrelsome disposition and frequent threats to commit suicide made her almost a nervous wreck.

She asks the custody of their daughter, Leona Belle, aged 12 years, and for alimony.

The defendant is a railway clerk and is not now a resident of St. Louis. Notice of suit will be served on him by publication.

CAN'T SMOKE, QUITS INDIANA

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., April 19.—Arrested for smoking a cigarette, James McInerny, an electrician of Jeffersonville, Ind., has given up a good position and come to Louisville to live.

"No cigarettes, can't spit, can't drink on Sunday, no booze after 11 at night—Indiana's no place for me. They'll put the state on a eatable diet next," says McInerny.

NEW RADIUM CURE CONQUERS CANCER

Discovery of Solvent of Mysterious Element Is Attended by Marvelous Results.

COST WILL BE NOMINAL

Experiment With Patient in New York Is Successful and Astonishes Surgeons.

By Leased Wire From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, April 19.—Important experiments under way at Flower Hospital in this city indicate the discovery of an almost certain cure for cancer. This is a new and amazingly effective method in the application of radium.

Wonderful things were expected of radium. But complications that seemed endless and the work of so-called "fakers" cast a shadow over radium as a cure. Radium experiments halted at this stage.

Then Hugo Lieber, a noted chemist of this city, announced a discovery that held a wealth of promise. Mr. Lieber had succeeded in dissolving radium, and the resulting solution exerted all the activity of the pure radium.

The Flower hospital staff decided to give Mr. Lieber's discovery a thorough trial.

There was an old woman among the patients, woh was slowly dying of cancer in an advanced stage that had attacked the instep of her left foot. At her time of life—82 years—an attempt to use the knife would have meant certain death. Realizing the almost hopeless character of her malady, she eagerly consented to undergo the experimental treatment.

Two weeks ago she received her first test with the solution, or coating, as it is technically known. Six days later the great tumor that menaced her life literally dropped off, showing the healthy flesh underneath.

Dr. Harvey King, head of the Flower Hospital clinic, could scarcely credit his eyes. Dr. William H. Dieffenbach, who personally directed the treatment, was equally amazed. But there was no disputing the facts. The bulk of the cancer had been removed, leaving a view of diseased tissue that is believed to present no obstacle to treatment. The treatment will be continued throughout the week, and experts are practically unanimous in the opinion that within a comparatively few days the woman will be completely cured.

Other Experiments Will Be Made.

Hugo Lieber was disinclined to talk, but consented to explain his important discovery. The Post-Dispatch reporter found him in his laboratory in West Broadway.

"You see this?" said Mr. Lieber, holding up a little glass tube 2 inches long and a half inch in diameter. It was about one-third full of a yellowish powder.

"That powder is radium. It is the largest individual importation made to this country and cost $12,000.

"Now look at this," he continued, displaying a thin rod of celluloid tipped an inch deep with what looked like red paint. "That red substance is my new discovery. It is a solution of radium, which in direct contact with the diseased tissues gives all the activity of pure radium."

Turning to an electroscope, Mr. Lieber repeated for the reporter's benefit the experiment with which he convinced scientists on the initial announcement of his discovery. This experiment measures the activity of radium, and the record made by the little, red-tipped celluloid rod was far greater than that made by the tube of pure radium worth $12,000. The cost of the red-tipped rod is only $25, and the radium solvent upon it is indestructible.

Pure radium is about the scarcest thing in the world and the most expensive. None but the very rich people could hope to benefit by its wonderful power. Lieber's discovery promises to put it within the reach of rich and poor alike.

GERMANS OUTLIVE AMERICANS

Statistics Proving Assertion Are Presented to Congress of Medicine at Wiesbaden.

WIESBADEN, April 19.—"Americans are shorter-lived than Germans," was the conclusion reached by Dr. B. Laquer in his paper on "Social Hygiene in the United States," submitted toady to the Congress of medicine now in session here.

"Although more temperate in the use of alcohol than the Germans and working an average of 10 per cent shorter hours, the Americans are," said Dr. Laquer, "exhausted earlier in life."

The doctor gave these figures for each thousand of the population: The number of persons from 40 to 60 years of age is in Germany 179, in America 170; persons over 60, in Germany, 78; America, 65.

Dr. Laquer did not undertake to explain the facts. He simply gave them as the result of inquiries which he made during a visit to the United States in 1904.

FUNERAL OF SAMUEL SCALING.

Pioneer St. Louis Packer Dies at Son's Home in Texas.

The funeral of Samuel Scaling, Sr., a former St. Louis packer, who died Sunday from general debility, at the home of his son, Samuel Scaling, Jr., in Dundee, Tex., was held from the undertaking parlors of William F. Mullhall, 2845 Lafayette avenue, Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment will be in Calvary Cemetery.

Mr. Scaling was born in 1832, and at the age of 17 came to St. Louis. He entered the butcher trade in Round Top Market and later owned a packing house.

Two sons, George A. Scaling of Kirkwood and Samuel, Jr., of Dundee, are the only members of the immediate family surviving. Three daughters were burned to death in the Catholic convent fire at Belleville 30 years ago. Recently Mr. Scaling has resided with his son in Texas.

COUNTERFEITING MOLDS FOUND

Secret Service Men Have Railroad Yard Find.

Secret service men are seeking the owner of two molds for the making of counterfeit silver dollars found Tuesday afternoon in the Wiggins Ferry railroad yard at the foot of Carroll street.

The molds were found by Alfred G. Peters, a private watchman. They are supposed to have been left there by a man who was ordered out of the yard by Peters a short time before. Peters had noticed the man sitting for some time beside the track and he at last called to him and told him to move on. Later he found the molds near the spot. He turned them over to the police and they gave them to the secret service men.

They are made of plaster of Paris and are very perfect. They are intended to counterfeit coins of the mintage of 1901 and have been used.

B—Edwin C. Burt Oxfords for women. Ask O—f— em at Boehmer's, 410-412 B'way.

This Man's Love of Babies Won Mayors' Chair for Him

EDMOND BEALL.

Edward Beall, Owner of "Storks' Nest" in Alton, Built for Large Families, Gets Votes of Papas and Wins in Lively Campaign.

Edmond Beall and his row of "Stork's Nest" flats won out in Tuesday's city election at Alton.

Mr. Beall will be the new mayor, and "The Stork's Nest" will continue to be the haven and delight of happy children and fond parents.

Mr. Beall received 1440 votes out of more than 3800 recorded.

It was a long fight. It was three months ago—away back in the zero weather of January—that Mr. Beall was nominated for mayor on the Citizens' ticket. There were three candidates opposing him, battling night and day, but the babies of Alton rallied to the support of their friend and benefactor and sent their appreciative papas to the polls with instructions to vote for Beall, the Baby's Friend.

"Why," said the babies of Alton, as they communed with themselves, "why should we not electioneer for the kind gentleman who welcomed us to Alton when other men would have us barred, and who built these beautiful flats that we might have comfortable homes? By all means, let 'Boost Beall!' be our slogan."

So it came to pass that the campaign company of Beall and Babies won out by a plurality of 170 over Peter Fitzgerald, the workingman's candidate, A. W. Young and Alexander Wagner, notwithstanding the fact that a fierce fight was made on Mr. Beall by the men who did not favor or understand his position on the matter of union labor.

Mr. Beall is president of the Manufacturers' Improvement Association of Alton and is a member of the firm of Beall Bros., tool manufacturers on a large scale.

Last winter the Manufacturers' Association and the Retail Merchants' Association each appointed a committee of seven men to select a candidate for mayor on the Citizens' ticket. These two committees selected seven citizens at large, and these joint committees selected and voted on several candidates. Mr. Beall received the highest number of votes and was chosen and elected.

Mr. Beall came into prominence two years ago as the owner of what are known in Alton as "The Stork's Nest," a row of eight new flats, the construction of which he superintended himself, and which are rented particularly to couples with large families. The rent is very low, for Mr. Beall declared at the time that all he desired to make on his investment was 5 per cent. This fact, together with the fact that he was welcoming babies wholesale where other landlords were discouraging their presence, made his action the talk of the city, and finally gave him a reputation that extended far and away beyond Alton.

Mr. Beall is 56 years of age.

THEIR JOKE TO SEE WOMAN HURT, AS AUTOMOBILE CAUSED RUNAWAY

Party in Motor Car Didn't Seem to Mind Danger to Life So Long as Desires for Witnessing Feats of Horsemanship Were Gratified.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, April 19.—Boulevard manners here have long been a source of amazement, but with the automobile have come more forms of "cussedness" than can well be imagined. For example an automobile party of two women and a man pursued a runaway horse ridden by a woman for three blocks up Seventh avenue, the driver tooting the horn and greeting the jumping of the maddened animal with shrieks of laughter.

The woman rider was Mrs. J. T. Nevins, a splendid horsewoman. She had left the park and was cantering up the avenue when the automobile dashed up behind her. The chauffeur slowed down at the horse's heels and began tooting his horn. The horse plunged, but Mrs. Nevins maintained her seat.

Hardly had the horse been quieted than the automobile again was driven to its heels with a tooting of horns and cries of "Fine, do it again," from the persons in the auto. The automobile followed after the horse and rider and people on the sidewalk were so interested in the woman's display of horsemanship that they did not notice the cause of the horse's fright.

By this time the people in the automobile were hilarious in cheering for the woman rider. They had to stop for a passing car, but when they had a clear path again they quickly closed the gap and at the heels of the galloping horse the horn was sounded again.

For three blocks this was kept up. Then the rider, exhausted by her efforts, was tossed over the animal's head and fell on her back. She was stunned and a crowd instantly surrounded her. The automobile hurried away.

SHE WANTS BIGAMIST HUSBAND

Wife No. 1 Seeks to Have Divorce From Covict Annulled to Defeat No. 2.

CHICAGO, April 19.—Under peculiar circumstances, Mrs. Gittles C. McClain today brought suit to annul a divorce from Robert L. McLain, now in the penitentiary. Six months ago McLain deserted his wife and the same day married Mrs. Elizabeth Metz. He was arrested and prosecuted for bigamy.

He pleaded with his first wife to have their marriage annulled, promising he would marry her when he was released. She consented, and secured a divorce. Now, the second wife, it is alleged, is attempting to have McClain released from the penitentiary so she can marry him.

It is for this reason that Mrs. McClain No. 1 has started suit to annul her divorce from the convicted bigamist.

THE WEATHER INDICATIONS.

St. Louis and vicinity—Increasing cloudiness; rain Thursday and probably late Wednesday night; warmer Wednesday night; southeasterly winds.

Missouri and Iowa—Increasing cloudiness with showers Thursday and in west portion Wednesday night; warmer Wednesday night and in east portion Thursday; fresh southerly winds.

Illinois—Fair except showers in south portion Thursday and extreme south portion Wednesday night; rising temperature; fresh southerly winds.

South Dakota—Showers Wednesday night and Thursday; cooler in west portion Thursday; variable winds.

Nebraska and Kansas—Showers Wednesday night and Thursday; warmer Wednesday night; cooler in west portion on Thursday; southerly winds, becoming variable.

PRISONERS FIRE JAIL, 2 DIE

Attempt to Escape Near New Orleans Results Fatally.

NEW ORLEANS, April 19.—In an attempt to escape, three prisoners today fired the parish jail at Ponchatoula, La., 48 miles from New Orleans, two of them being cremated and a third fatally burned. The dead are Henry Taylor and James Reilly. The fatally burned: Lucien George Delas.

MISSED EACH OTHER ON TRAINS

Mr. and Mrs. Carence G. Nye are at the Portland Hotel, opposite Union Station, a bride and groom of 24 hours, and now smiling happily over a mishap of Tuesday, which threatened to delay their wedding and compelled the bride, who was then Miss Clara Moore of Columbus, O., to come alone to St. Louis, wondering what on earth had happened to her prospective husband.

Mrs. Nye lives at Decatur, Ill., and it was agreed that Miss Moore should come on to St. Louis on the fast express, and that, at Decatur, Mr. Nye should board it.

Mr. Nye boarded the Columbus express all right Tuesday, but Miss Moore was not there to welcome him. She was, instead, on a local train, which she had taken by mistake, and she was dismayed when no Mr. Nye came aboard.

At Union Station she was assisted by Station Policeman Henry to locate Nye at the Portland Hotel. They were married by a justice of the peace.

Mr. Nye is in the employ of the Santa Fe Railroad and will probably leave for Oklahoma this afternoon with his bride.

SCHOOL REMAINS TIED UP BY STRIKE

Scarcely a Dozen Pupils Return Owing to Enrollment of Two Japanese.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

OMAHA, Neb., April 19.—Scarcely a dozen of the 300 school children who walked out at the Lowell School at South Omaha have returned to their studies. Squads of police are present at the building to protect those who do attend, but no violence has been offered.

"The board of education, and not the parents or children, is going to direct how the public schools shall be conducted," said President Morrill of the board. "I find that the Japanese have a right to attend school according to the laws of Nebraska, and they will be backed up by the board."

One reason for the strike, which did not leak out until this morning, is the fact that the only Russian settlement in South Omaha is in the neighborhood of the Lowell School, and nearly every Russian pupil in the city attends this school. This morning one of the two Japanese boys, who have been the cause of the trouble, begged permission to go home, regretting that he had "caused so many people to feel bad." He left, but his companion remained.

INSANITY DIVORCE LAW HIT

Florida Senate Passes Bill Repealing the Famous Flagler Measure.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

TALLAHASSE, Fla., April 19.—So far as the Senate is concerned, the Flagler divorce law is a thing of the past, Senator Scott's bill repealing the law was passed by a vote of 22 to 8.

In the course of debate, Senator Bailey referred to the divorce bill as the crowning outrage of the age. He said that it was passed because the sole beneficiary, H. M. Flagler, desired it, and spent over $100,000 to secure its passage. The bill made insanity grounds for divorce.

If the bill passes the House, it will be indorsed by Gov. Broward, who made the repeal of the bill one of the issues of his campaign in the Democratic primaries. Ever since the bill was enacted it has been an issue in city, county and state politics.

St. Louis has more Post-Dispatch readers every day than it has homes.
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IN THEATER MOTHER CAUGHT RUNAWAY

Son Who Took $6 Was Applauding Girlish Heroine When She "Nabbed" Him.

"Nettie the Newsgirl" was just in the act of saving the hero's life at Havlin's Theater Tuesday night when a firm hand reached over a row of seats in the gallery and seized Jimmie Murphy by the scruff of the neck.

Jimmie was sitting in the front row. The play suited him to a T, and he was fairly "eating it up" when his dream of joy was interrupted.

The firm hand was that of his mother, Mrs. Maggie Murphy of 4462 Clayton avenue. She marched her recreant son up the aisle and down the stairs to the street, and there she turned him over to Patrolman Edom, with the request that he be arrested and locked up.

The wherefore was this: During the afternoon, Jimmie, whose age is 14 years, had taken 3c that belonged to his mother. Part of it he hid at home. The rest of it he took with him out into the wide world.

When he did not return home for supper Mrs. Murphy concluded that something was doing. She figured that Havlin's had marked her offspring for its own that night, so she went down there, bought a gallery ticket and put Jimmie's ideal to the bad.

The boy is now in the Four Courts detention room and will be sent to the Juvenile court. Mrs. Murphy says she has no control over him.

AWARDED A SCHOLARSHIP.

Rev. Dr. Winchester's Son Honored by Military Academy.

Lee Winchester, 17-year-old son of Rev. Dr. James L. Winchester of 5567 Cates avenue, rector of Church of the Ascension, Episcopal, has been awarded one of the two scholarships in Culver Military Academy, Culver, Ind., offered to sons of Scottish Rite Masons in Missouri.

The other was awarded to Don Sterling Stophlet, 16 years old, son of Samuel Stophlet, secretary of the Scottish Rite Masonic bodies in Kansas City.

Lee Winchester is a pupil in Central High School. Don Stophlet is a junior in Manual Training High School in Kansas City.

The scholarships were awarded through Martin Collins of St. Louis, sovereign grand inspector general for Missouri.

Hibernians' grand, Easter Monday Ball, Uhrig's Cave, April 24. Tickets 25 cents.

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Kelly-Schaefer Suit Sale

25.00 Spring Suits Selling at 12.50
30.00 Spring Suits Selling at 15.00
50.00 Spring Suits Selling at 25.00

Three styles of TAN JACKETS. Some All-Silk Lined. Costing 7.00, 8.00 and 10.00. Thursday Sale 5.75

Odds and Ends of NEW STYLISH WALKING SKIRTS, all shades and materials. Costing 7.00, 8.00 and 10.00. Thursday Sale 5.75

One Hundred and Sixty All-Wool Fancy Novelty Walking Skirts, Man-Tailored. Actual value 5.00. Thursday Sale 2.00

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EXTRA SPECIAL!

In our new swell Neckwear Department—160 styles of 50c, 75c and 1.00 Neckwear Reduced to 25c

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Dr. Osler suggests an export tax on girls. Why not an export bounty on medicos?

Mr. Roosevelt refused to hunt a tame bear. Yet, think what he did to poor Judge Parker!

The Sunday law does not stop the club highball. The club is not a licensed saloon, but a home.

Should the Japanese dig our Panama Canal for us, as is now proposed, there will be still more glory for Japan.

There is only one way for the new owners of the United Railways to popularize their management in St. Louis; that is by giving the best possible street car service. They can well afford to do it.

"JAMES H. HYDE AND ASSOCIATES."

James H. Hyde confesses that he and 11 other directors of the Equitable Assurance Co. are members of a syndicate known as "James H. Hyde and Associates," which has enjoyed underwriters' profits from deals made for the company. Mr. Hyde has offered restitution of $61,000. He intimates that President Alexander was a member of the syndicate. The records show that directors and their kinsmen have profited largely through fees and salaries drawn from the company. The securities of large corporations in which directors are interested have been unloaded on the company.

This is indeed a revelation of high finance. Men of the highest reputation and standing, intrusted with the management of the business of an insurance company, make their sacred trust a source of profit, in violation not only of the letter and spirit of the law, but of the strongest moral obligation.

The whole truth about the management of the company should be brought out. The men guilty of wrongdoing should be punished under the law and driven from their places of trust. If these men go unpunished because of their wealth and influence the standards of business integrity and honor will be broken down and the bars thrown open to wholesale graft and plunder.

But perhaps Mr. Cleveland has just as much fun. There are more fish than bears.

WORKING FOR JOY.

A New York bride kept a record of her social engagements during a season embracing fourteen weeks, and here it is: Dinners, fifty; operas, eighteen; balls and dances, eighteen; late suppers, thirty; theaters, twenty-five; afternoon teas, sixty-five; formal luncheons, fifteen.

Now comes a journey to London for the season there, where she will duplicate her New York experience. She will spend July and August automobiling through France and Italy, and then back to Paris, where she will place herself in the hands of dressmakers for eight weeks, all the time keeping up with a series of dinners at smart restaurants and week-end parties at French chateaux. This does not count the Newport season, which she will go through next year, and which is omitted this year only because it is not possible to crowd it into the calendar.

Solomon found that all was vanity excepting the joy he found in his work. With this society devotee it is different. She has no joy in her work; she must work for her joy.

Policeman Reardon of Cincinnati has made but one arrest in 30 years, and there are perhaps patrolmen there who have not passed a sleepless night in all that time.

THE NEW POLITICAL FAITH.

"As a matter of fact," said Judge Tuley, referring to the Democratic Iroquois Club's invitation to President Roosevelt to dine with the club on his return trip, "many of the club members share Mr. Roosevelt's views on public questions."

What does the fellow feeling between President Roosevelt and a large number of Democrats presage—another era of good feeling or a realignment of forces? Will the radical Democrats and radical Republicans get together against the consolidated conservatives of both parties?

Who will be the prophet of the new political faith—Bryan or Roosevelt?

The Russian prisoner is better fed than the Japanese soldier who captured him. The little people are trying to teach other lessons than those of slaughter.

CAUSE AND EFFECT.

The analysis of the Chicago Street Railway situation in the Sunday Post-Dispatch reveals facts parallel in all particulars to those with which St. Louisans are familiar.

The Chicago jobbers took properties worth $27,000,000 and increased the capitalization to $117,000,000.

The St. Louis jobbers took properties worth not more than $30,000,000 and increased the capitalization to $90,000,000.

The privileges and franchises of the Chicago companies were obtained by means of wholesale corruption of the Illinois Legislature and the Chicago Board of Aldermen.

The privileges and franchises of the St. Louis company were obtained by the same means. The marks of "the greasy hand of boodle" are visible at every stage of the development from the North and South and Central Traction ordinances through the Legislature which created the consolidation and on to the day when predatory operations were rudely checked by indictments.

It is not wonderful that the municipal ownership policy is triumphant in Chicago and growing in favor everywhere.

Exasperated by the grant of franchises without compensation which carry with them the power to tax, angered by the ruthless corruption of the public service in the interest of private greed, and alarmed by the bold assertion and unscrupulous employment of political power, the people of American cities resort to municipal ownership as the only defense against the encroachments of merely selfish interest.

The movement towards public ownership gets its impulse and derives all its life from the men who have made private ownership a scandal and a peril. Injustice breeds injustice, and if radical remedies find favor in the public mind it is because the wrongs have been radical. Only by returning to sane, lawful and moral business methods can the public service corporations allay the popular fear and induce a more moderate political program.

It is hardly credible that Excise Commissioner Mulvihill will insist upon enforcing the ruling that a proprietor of a saloon cannot enter his own saloon on Sunday, and sundry other rulings of a similar nature. The purpose of the Sunday closing law is to prevent the sale of liquors on Sunday, not to interfere otherwise with the rights or the personal liberty of citizens. To go beyond the regulation of liquor selling and make arbitrary rulings, not because they are right or because they are reasonable, but because the Excise Commissioner has the power to enforce them with the penalty of license forfeiture, is to translate prosecution into persecution and to make law enforcement obnoxious. The Post-Dispatch believes that, if the law is to be enforced at all, it should be enforced effectively and impartially, but that there should not be any more interference with personal right and liberty than is necessary for the enforcing of the law. Mr. Mulvihill's responsibility is commensurate with his power. "It is excellent to have a giant's strength, but it is tyrannous to use it like a giant."

JIU-JITSU NAVAL WARFARE.

The key to the character of the Japanese and the mode of warfare is jiu jitsu—the defense of the weak against the strong. the theory of jitu jitsu is that the weakest can conquer the strongest by an unexpected assault upon his weakest point, thus disabling him or placing him at a disadvantage.

The first advantage of the Japanese in the war wtih Russia was gained by the unexpected night assault upon the fleet at Port Arthur by torpedo boats. This was followed by repeated night attacks and cunning strategy on land and sea.

Admiral Togo is a brilliant exemplar of jiu-jitsu naval warfare. Almost all the work of destroying the Port Arthur fleet was accomplished by the mosquito fleet in night attacks. It was not until the Russian squadron was practically disabled that Togo used his big ships and big guns, and then only with the greatest caution. He destroyed the enemy's squadron without risking his own battleships and cruisers.

In the light of his past strategy there is scarcely room for speculation as to the course of Togo in combating Rojestvensky's fleet. He will avoid a decisive encounter until he has exhausted all the arts and resources of trained cunning, combined with desperate courage, to weaken and disable him. He will try to twist his wrist, break an elbow, dislocate his shoulder, tap his jugular or reach his solar plexus with two fingers; that is to say, he will send in his torpedo boats on the darkest nights, searching for the bottoms of his battleships and cruisers; he will lie in wait for colliers and transports; he will try to lure single vessels away from the squadron; he will lay mines and contrive snares. If Rojestvensky could meet cunning with cunning he might survive a long-delayed battle, but the Russians are no match for the Japs in naval jiu jitsu. His only chance is to force a quick general engagement, in which he can at least pit his whole squadron against his adversary. That chance is a forlorn hope.

POST-DISPATCH ANSWERS

Legal questions not answered. Business addresses not given. No bets decided. Write but one question. Sign but one initial. Address all questions, "Answers, Post-Dispatch, City." Use postal cards if convenient.

C. R.—1900 was not a leap year.

B. G.—Books on paints, Public Library.

LOZ.—Ask at 1623 Washington avenue.

Y.—Key West barracks, Key West, Fla.

J. C.—Smith Academy, 4 years' tuition, $535.

BESS.—Bride sometimes gives groom a ring.

W. A. S.—Have a talk with some city editor.

J. BURNS.—Largest American city, New York.

A READER.—Ask at 1623 Washington avenue.

P.—No medical examination for one joining Masons.

H. McC.—Government prosecutes reservation arrests.

HAW.—Governor of Missouri, but one term—four years.

C. A. W.—Write secretary of state, Olympia, Washington.

ENDORA.—You can buy dye paper for Easter-egg inscriptions.

L. L.—Chicago is Republican for President, Democratic for mayor.

T. E. O.—Eads bridge built in the seven years before June 9, 1874.

Mc.—Write county clerk, Clayton, about electric road to Hillsboro.

C. A.—Hot cornmeal, well mixed with salt, cleans light-colored woolens.

IAGO.—Census takes time of birth, present age, occupation, employment, etc.

C. A. J.—A teaspoonful of paregoric in a gill of water is said to clear a pantry of ants.

J. S.—To keep patent-leather shoes from cracking, apply vaseline, leaving it on all night.

Y.—Charles E. Magoon, the new governor of the Panama canal zone, is from Lincoln, Neb.

A SUB.—For Daughters of American Revolution, write Mrs. W. G. Boyd, 1335 Washington avenue.

M. J. L.—Mayor McClellan of New York is said to be an Episcopalian; Mrs. McClellan is a Catholic.

SNOW.—Diedrich Knickerbocker was Washington Irving's imaginary writer of a history of New York.

CITIZEN.—Chicago has 2400 patrolmen (not including officers), 60 detective sergeants and 2 detective lieutenants.

DICKY.—If your canary bird's feathers do not grow again, it may be lousy or have eczema. Bird stores have bird remedies.

L.—You wash your hair too much, perhaps, if it becomes too dry. Try egg shampoo—yolk of egg beaten in a pint of rainwater.

SUB.—"Five continents." America, Europe, Asia, Africa, Australia. Counting North and South America as each a continent, there are six.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

Letters on all matters of public interest not exceeding 100 words, will be printed in this department. To insure publication be brief. Most suggestions, complaints, etc., can be written in much less than the 100-word limit. "Boil it down."

Insignificant Male Creatures.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

I was riding in a Tower Grove car the other morning, every seat being occupied, mostly men reading morning papers. The aisle was well filled, most of these being ladies. As the car reached Chouteau avenue, the lady in front of me got up to go, and a man pushed me aside so eager to get that seat that he sat on her skirt as she was trying to get out. Time is approaching when we ladies will actually have to wear magnifying glasses to see the men, they're so small!

LADY PASSENGER.

An Alcoholic Problem.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Which is the better, government of saloons or by saloons?

G. E. MUETLICHKEIT.

Jefferson on Corporation Rule.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

I read with much interest your able editorial in yesterday's issue of your paper in regard to Jefferson's views on certain governmental questions. You are in error, however, as to his views on corporations. We did have the foresight and profound insight in regard to corporations, as well as to all other social and political problems, which amply prove him to be the world's greatest statesman—a very master of social and political science.

In the year 1816 he wrote a letter to George Logan, of which the following is an excerpt: "I hope we shall take warning from the example of England and crush in its birth the aristocracy of our moneyed corporations, which dare already to challenge our government to trial and bid defiance to the laws of our country."

CORNELIUS A. FAUNTLEROY.

Treatment of Canaries.

A Lover of Pets:

I think your bird has vermin, which causes it to scratch. Hold the bird and sprinkle some sulphur on it and make a small bag out of red flannel and fill it with sulphur and hang it in the cage so the bird will pick at it. Hang on top of cage. Take off top of cage and look for lice. Feed your bird German birdseed. It should have a bath every morning. Feed it lettuce or cabbage, and a pod of red pepper is good.

A FRIEND.

Enforcement of Laws.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Mr. Von Phul's comment in Saturday's Post-Dispatch that Sunday laws are not aimed particularly at the venders of liquor, but apply alike to all labor, should be forced to the attention of the governor. He was apparently ignorant of the existence of a Sunday law until he had been the executive for four months. If not, why this delay? What caused this sudden awakening of civic righteousness in the breast of our distinguished governor? His assertions that the Sunday law is on our statutes and that he as governor is compelled to enforce same, and will do so, even if he has to call out the militia, according to a news item in a morning paper, should meet with the approbation of all loyal Missourians. But to stop with the enforcement of the Sunday laws, and ignore the violations of other laws relating to individuals, corporations, commerce, traffic, etc., would place our reform governor on the same level with the average politician who becomes a spasmodic reformer and then in "spots" only. Let the governor show Missourians that he is sincere by having all laws enforced, and not single out the Sunday law, with the expectation of having the people demand an extra session of the Legislature to repeal, or rather attempt to have this Sunday law repealed, and also demand the enactment of some pet measure which was defeated by the last Assembly.

W. MARSHALL.

Infatuation for Filipinos.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Having heard so much bowling from the masculine population of St. Louis regarding the infatuation of St. Louis ladies for the "little brown men," I am "inspired" to say, after seeing the faces and photos of most of these infatuated ladies, take 'em, ye "little brown men," and God bless you.

BERNARD E. TAYLOR.

Paris, Tex.

Cause and Effect.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

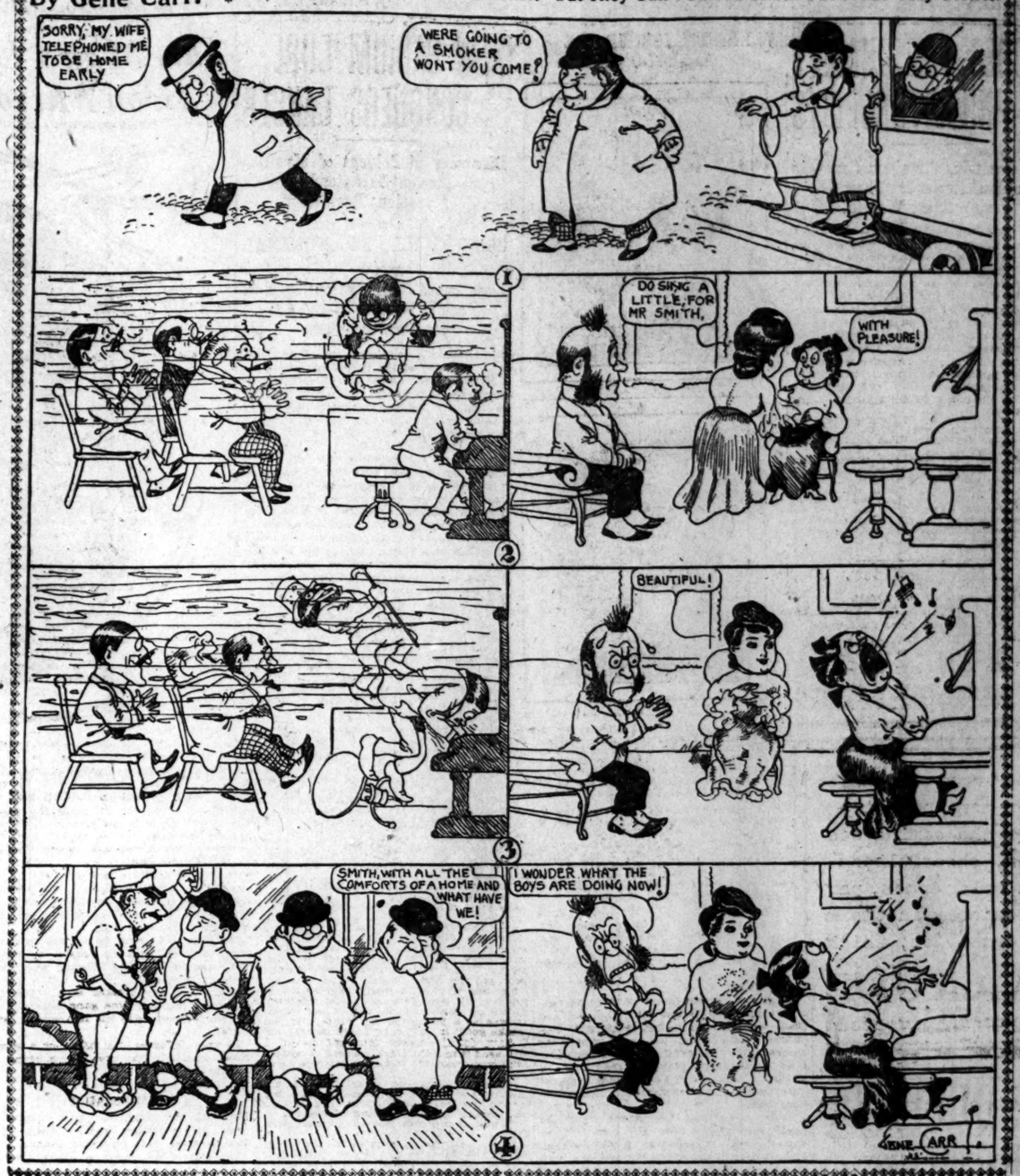
Street car—cool morning or evening; back and front doors of car open; overworked, exhausted or debilitated nervous system; draft of cold air on back of the head—cerebro spinal meningitis.

FINNIGAN.

A New Comic Series By Gene Carr.

All the Comforts of Home.

"The Boys" Enjoy Their "Smoker," but They Can't Smoke Smith Out of His Cozy Corner.



RULES FOR SEED PLANTING.

L. A. Goodman Gives Some Advice to Those Planning Gardens.

From the Kansas City Times.

The Women's Auxiliary to the Manufacturers' and Merchants' Association have filled 388,000 packages of seeds in the last two weeks. These have been distributed among the schools of Kansas City. The auxiliary has distributed seeds among the schools for four years. The orders received this year exceed those of any previous year by several thousand. Ten schools have not sent in requisitions as yet, but the auxiliary expects to have all the orders filled by Wednesday.

There are eight prizes offered in each school district for the best gardens grown by the pupils. The auxiliary expects to supply Kansas City, Kan., with 15,000 packages of seeds. L. A. Goodman, secretary of the Missouri State Horticultural Society, sends the folowing letter of directions for planting to the children:

To all children who are so anxious to plant these seeds just as soon as they see the first green plants start in the spring, I wish to say emphatically "DON'T!"

We are always in too much of a hurry every spring and plant seeds before the ground has warmed up sufficiently to cause the seeds to start and grow vigorously. If the small flower seeds are planted when the ground is too cold, and the weather keeps cool, the seeds simply remain in the ground too long before they start to grow, and when they do start they grow slowly and oftimes become stunted so that it takes them half the summer to recover and grow well. Some of the hardy plants can, of course, be planted safely now, but it is far better to wait until the ground warms up well before planting.

Prepare the ground or bed well and spade it up deeply now. Add a coating of one inch of well rotted manure to the top of the bed and let it stand for a week or two; then spade it up again and add one inch of sand (if soil is too heavy or full of clay).

The proper time for planting all these garden seeds this year will be about Easter time to get the best growth and the most vigorous plants.

Another caution I would give to the children in planting: Do not plant too deeply nor too thickly. Cover the seeds with the dirt only about four times the diameter of the seed is a good rule to follow. If covered too deeply and a heavy rain should fall before the seeds are up and the sun should shine until a crust is formed the seeds will not be able to push the young growth through the crust.

After planting the seeds, preferably in rows wide enough apart so that they can be easily hoed, then pack the soil lightly over the seeds.

CONCLUSION.

First—Prepare the ground well.

Second—Plant when the ground is well warmed up.

Third—Plant shallow, not too deeply, and not too thickly.

Fourth—Firm the soil over the seed.

Fifth—Keep the beds free from weeds.

Sixth—Water if summer is too dry.

Seventh—Pick flowers often. They bloom better.

Lament of Those Athirst Under St. Louis' Sunday Lid.

And we wander, tired and weary,
Seeking out a refuge beery,
Refuge bright and warm and cheery—
Find it once we always did.
Now in times so Puritanic
Saloons close up in a panic,
While fast grows our thirst organic—
St. Louis groans beneath the "lid."

—Chicago Record-Herald.

NEW YORK NEWSPAPER VIEWS

This Morning's Comments on Today's News by the Leading Metropolitan Journals.

By Leased Wire From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, April 19.—This city has a "gas trust" which is being investigated by a legislative committee. Astounding evidence has been brought out. Concerning it the World says: "An expert testified how the trust increases the pressure on its mains to drive poor gas faster through the meters and rob the citizens and the city. Most amazing of all, the chief engineer of the trust corroroborated this testimony so far as the pressure is concerned.

"Even while public attention is centered upon the gas trust extortion, it is ranging itself with the grocer who has powdered talc in the flour he sells, with the milk poisonous, who slaughter babies. Its 'respectable' directors not only swindle by false measures, but they menace life. A gas jet turned low at high pressure flickers out when the pressure is reduced at night and may fill a bedroom.

"What would a private corporation, served by a capable executive, do if confronted by such extortion in a matter absolutely within its control? The city is or should be a business corporation."

"We refuse to believe that Gen. Charles Henry Grosvenor, who has represented the Eleventh Ohio district for 20 years, cannot be renominated and re-elected to the Sixth Congress," says the Sun. "We con conceive of Gen. Grosvenor without the House of Representatives, but who can think of it without Gen. Grosvenor?

"According to the story, 33 out of 35 Republican committeemen in the general's home county are opposed to him and will select delegates to the congressional convention who will turn him down.

"If they are opposed to him, he will come to their side. With his wide open-mindedness, he will reverse himself when he finds himself going in an unpopular direction. In June, 1900, he was jeering Roosevelt. Who is a better Rooseveltian when events took him by the scruff of the neck? When the Esch-Townsend bill was before the House he set forth all the reasons against it; then voted for it meekly and duly.

"Are thirty-three committees against him? As the statesman quick to saturate with popular spirit, he will become an anti-Grosvenor man himself and when the time comes he will run on an anti-Grosvenor ticket. They count not well who try to leave him out."

The American, which upholds the theory of government ownership in matters of life insurance, reviews the Equitable scandal and says: "No one of these eminent gentlemen but would be horrified at the idea that the state should, like New Zealand, insure its citizens, as that would be "socialism," moreover, the vile and corrupt politicians would plunder the company for their own enrichment. Besides, the cost of service if done by the state would be greatly increased. Expert management could not be had. All these things, and more to the same effect, would be urged by all the directors from the volatile Mr. Depew up and down, should a state insurance company be urged.

FACTS ABOUT TIME.

From the Newark News.

Time is hard to define. According to the best poets time has a heavy foot, a tooth, a forelock and breakable legs. It travels in divers paces; it ambles, trots, gallops, runs, rolls and stands still; it has whips; it crops roses. So far it seems like a horse. But it has a forefinger, also a reckless hand that writes wrinkles. This explodes the horse theory. Furthermore, time flies. Hence, "a bird of a time." Time is money; being also a bird, time is a gold eagle, perhaps; money is the root of all evil and procrastination is the thief of time. Therefore, procrastination is (1) a chicken thief, (2) a good thing.

The wickedness of time is beyond question. It is vindictive. "I wasted time," mourns King Richard, "and now doth time waste me." Time waits for no man. Time shall throw a dart at thee. Time robs us of our joys. Time will tell. Time is unthinking. Time presses its debtors. The time is out of joint, and well may it be, considering what a nuisance it is.

Time is a sea, a sandy beach, a bank, a shoal and an abysm. Also it is a whirligig, which seems old when we recall that time is quiet as a nun. Time is good, bad, fine, rough, hot, Christmas, spring, waltz, common and lovely. Among good times may be mentioned quitting time and dinner time.

When the Awful Pause Comes.

When the conversation lags you should bowl a lob; and you should always have the lob ready. It is perfectly easy. Suddenly there comes a silence. It matters nothing what you say, so long as it can be hit to the boundary. Turn to your neighbor at the stricken dinner table, and say (but you must have it quite ready), "I think you have an aunt." She must smack it back. "Yes," she replies. "So have I," you answer, enthusiastically. "Now, talking of aunts——" here comes your story about your aunt, and the situation is saved. It's all the same if she has no aunt. There I have the advantage of you," you reply. Story as before. Any one can muster up a story about an aunt. But you must have it ready to plug up the gap.—London Chronicle.

A LAST LOOK AROUND.

Does whisky really quench thirst?

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At any rate, Jefferson did not foresee Rockefeller.

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"Intentions of Togo" is a mighty good alliterative head, but there's nothing to say under it.

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The latest estimate of Russell Sage's wealth is $25,000,000—and a large assortment of apple cores.

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Kansas City is making a fight on the local loan sharks which, if successful, will drive a number of them to St. Louis.

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Juress is what we may call the female juror, if we get her. And she may sometimes place the accused man in duress vile.

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The Mikado is heaping coals of fire on his enemies in the shape of artificial legs and arms which he is presenting to wounded Russian officers.

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Within a year 300,000 new flats have been built in Chicago, and there is very little talk of increasing rents there this spring.

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The density of the Philippine Islands is 67 inhabitants to the square mile. The density of the St. Louis young women who became infatuated with Filipinos is immeasurable.

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Mr. Rockefeller is busy planting trees, and they say he "handles a shovel with grace and enthusiasm." There's an occupation at which "Honest John" can enjoy himself without arousing anybody's envy.

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The Alleghany (Pa.) health board is trying to disinfect the beards of the whiskered men of that burg, but seems to have overlooked the pompadours and beau catchers of the ladies. Are men the only germ carriers?

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About 200,000 railroad employes in Italy are on strike, and most of the railroads in Italy are owned by the government. This fact affords the Chicago newspapers a splendid opportunity to prove, once more, that Mayor Dunne is off the track.

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The article on mushroom growing in Sunday's Post-Dispatch seems to have aroused a furor to grow this delicate fungi. Before turning the cellar into a mushroom cave it might be well to consider how few know the food value of agaricus campestris. The market would soon be flooded.

Those Barber Cuts.

"Pop?"

"Yes, my son."

"Is a man who makes comic cuts an artist?"

"Yes, my boy, that is why a barber is called an artist!"—Yonkers Statesman.

A FOUR LEAF CLOVER

By IVAN WHIN

The Romance of a St. Louis Base-ball Star.

SYNOPSIS OF PRECEDING CHAPTERS.

Ed Slade of Fairview, Neb., pitches for the local club and invents a new style of delivery which is called the "hang ball." It makes him famous and O'Leary of the Dallas, Tex., club signs him for two years at $500 a year. He is very much in love with Grace Lindsay, who gives him a four-leaf clover with the hope that it will bring him luck. On his last day in Fairview he saves Grace's life by throwing her from the path of a runaway horse and is himself knocked down. He leaves Fairview to join his club in a blaze of glory.

CHAPTER III.
The Recruit.

"WHAT you don't know about baseball would fill a book," said O'Leary sourly.

It was after the first game Slade pitched for Dallas. The boy from Nebraska joined the club at Waco and practiced diligently, but had not been called upon to pitch until the team reached home, when he had been put in for an exhibition game that filled an open date. He was sent into the box to pitch for a nine made up of the club's reserves supplemented by a few amateurs.

It was his first appearance in fast company and in the interval between his arrival and try-out there had been much to reduce his bump of self-conceit. The men treated him to that species of hazing which the new boy in a neighborhood receives. He had mounted guard over a collection of bats which he was assured were of such great value to the members of the club who used them that their loss would disrupt the organization. Night long he had watched the big leather bag to save it from a raid by opposing clubs which he was told was imminent. He had gone on errands, had searched towns for articles that did not exist and had carried foolish messages from one player to another.

When he entered the box he was feeling the soreness that dwells in one who has been made the butt of much ridicule. From the bench he had watched the regular team playing against clubs of equal prowess and gained some knowledge of the finer points of professional baseball. "Roasting" the pitcher was permitted then and men at bat and on the coaching lines indulged freely in this pastime. Slade schooled himself constantly to endure this unmoved. He knew the value of calmness and every time one of the men became irritated he remembered how Grace Lindsay had praised him for his acceptance of bad fortune with apparent calm and resolved anew that he would not yield to the temptation of temper.

Thus was he armed against the greatest enemy of the recruit on the ball field, but he was not wholly undisturbed when he faced the confident expert batters, whose strength with the stick he had observed. He lacked control when he tried the famous hang-ball and his simple curves lacked speed.

Hits were piling up against him and in the fifth inning he faced a score of five to nothing. He went to bat after a hard inning, breathing fast and weakened by his exertion.

Railing was in the box. The star pitcher took pity on his young comrade, or determined to make a laughing stock of him. He tossed the ball gently over the plate after a frightful corkscrew twist of his body which seemed to presage a ball of unexampled speed. The clear note of the bat on the ball told every player and fan of a hit that promised a home run.

The ball went over the second bag in a beautiful curve, struck the earth within a few feet of the center fielder, who was rushing forward at express speed, and, bounding to the right, rolled madly toward the tall grass.

At second base Slade stopped, panting and almost spent. He had seen the center fielder stoop over the grass and turn to throw. Slade sat down on the bag and mopped his hot face with his sleeve.

The center fielder ran in to second. Fans and reserves howled at Slade urging him to run. He got up from the bag and looked about for the ball.

"Who's got it?" he asked the second baseman.

"It's lost."

As Slade stepped from the bag the center fielder touched him with the ball and Slade walked back to the bench sick with shame, while along his path every one mocked and the stand howled derision.

At the bench the players turned laughing backs on him, and O'Leary made remarks that called for blows if one deigned to hear them.

Slade's jaw was prominent when he again entered the box. His heavy brows were closely shadowing forth looking, steady, determined eyes. He was cool with that anger which tenses every muscle and makes the price of relief the accomplishment of strong deeds.

The center fielder was first to bat. Nickell laughed raucously as he lined out the batters' mark with his stick. He swayed his body and the bat to annoy Slade.

"Strike," said the umpire. The hang-ball was in working order.

Nickell laughed again and set himself for the next ball.

"Strike two," said the umpire.

Nickell's epression changed. There was a frown on his brow and he swung the bat in short curves.

"Three strikes," said the unmpire and the center fielder went to the bench.

Barrett met a similar fate and retired dazed. "Did you see that youngster's ball?" Nickell asked him. "It does sure hang. I thought they were giving us sporting writers' dope, but ain't it a wonder?"

When Johnson had fanned thrice and the sides were changing Nickell passed Slade. "Cheer up, kid," he said, "that ball's a wonder."

Railing allowed three hits and one run was netted in the last half of the sixth.

In the first half of the seventh three of the regular club men went out on strikes. Conover went to bat for the reserves and sent a hot liner past shortstop, gaining two bases. Eldridge bunted, expecting to sacrifice, but beat out the throw. Conover was compelled to hold second by Railing's tactics after he had picked up the ball.

Again Slade came to the bat. He slouched at the plate apparently unready and let three wide ones pass him. The umpire called two strikes before he gripped his club and as the sixth ball essayed to cross the plate he pounded it out along the exact line of his previous hit, only a trifle higher and harder. The ball hid itself in the tall grass back of center field and three men trotted home. The score was now 4 to 5 in favor of the regulars.

Two men fanned and one fouled out in the first half of the eighth.

Nelson for the reserves scratched a hit and got second and Railing gave him third on a wild pitch. Smith hit along the line to third. It passed the bag on the infield side and Nelson dashed home.

Railing claimed the hit was foul and while the regulars tried to browbeat the umpire Smith stole second.

Railing, in his turn, faced defeat. The score was now tied and the reserves had a man on second with none out.

Kelley tried to sacrifice, but sent a little one to Railing's feet. Clark sent a high fly to right field, which Curtis took in without moving. The ball had hardly touched his glove when Smith flew off second, coached by Conover and a howling stand. Half way home he stopped, for the ball was sailing in swiftly. Smith turned back for the safe third bag, but then a gust of wind caught the ball and ere the catcher could leap a dozen feet to the right in pursuit of it the ball had fallen. Smith raced home before the ball was recovered and the game was won, for the hang-ball worked out the three regulars who went to bat in the ninth.

A natural elation was visible in Slade's carriage after the game. He expected commendation from the manager, but O'Leary's face was gloomy and his tongue was sharp.

"You fellows think ball is nothing but throwing straight and catching all that comes your way. You don't work with your heads," he snapped. "A sweet show you made of yourself turning a safe four-bagger into an out at second! And what do you think that hang ball of yours will amount to when you show it up to every man that comes to bat? Don't you know that players shift and these fellers next season are all likely to be in clubs agin you? And young as you are, how long will you last when you pitch with every ounce of your muscle and nerve in every ball. That was a good game to lose and Railing showed his head, but you, you'd like to be cock of the walk and show how big you are and you won't be able to work in a game for a week in consequence."

He had long known vaguely the value of "head work" in the game, but it had never been brought home to him so positively. He realized now that the ball field is a battle field, where not only are force and skill elements that affected the issue, but the great element is strategy.

He resolved to study the strategy of the game from that day, and so well did he succeed that when O'Leary beame manager of the St. Louis club the following season, he insisted on his principals buying Slade from Dallas. More than that, he gave him a new contract, doubling his salary.

Drink had caused the downfall of O'Leary in the height of his own fame as a baseball player, and when he reformed and sought to regain his lost footing, Dallas secured his services as manager. Assured that his reform was complete, the owners of the St. Louis club had made him a flattering offer which he had no mind to refuse.

It was thus Slade was lifted out of comparative obscurity into a major league club. He wrote it all lengthily to Grace Lindsay, explaining all that his good fortune meant in the baseball world. "If I can make good here this season, I'll get a bigger salary than the president of the Fairview Bank."

Later on in his letter he dropped baseball to consider a subject of closer intereet. "I have been afraid that you would grow interested in some other man while I'm away," he wrote, and "Gracie, I want you to write and tell me that you will marry me. I have told you that I love you, but you have never told me that you love me. Do you? And will you marry me? I want your promise now. Then I will feel safe."

She answered with many expressions of joy over his good fortune and no reference to his petition until the end of her letter. It was as a postscript she wrote: "If you 'make good' in St. Louis, I will marry you. I have found another four-leaf clover. I will send it in a little box, packed in cotton. Will you wear it? It may bring you luck, you know."

He, asked O'Leary, who handled the mail, if a little box had come for him, but it had not been seen. The next day he was slated to pitch against Cleveland.

"I wish I had that clover," he said dolefully.

After practice he sought in the fields about the park for a clover with four leaves, but found none. The next morning he went farther afield, but when he reported at the clubhouse he was without the object of his search.

After he had donned his uniform O'Leary arrived.

"Any mail, boss?" asked Slade.

"Yes, but wait till after the game."

"If it's a little box I want it now."

O'Leary drew a tiny package from his pocket. "What is it, a lock of your sweetheart's hair?"

The players crowded around to see Slade open the box. He shoved them away jovially and escaped from the clubhouse. Crossing the field he slipped the string off the box and opened it.

A beautiful, fresh four-leaf clover lay there, bedded in damp cotton.

"Here, Slade, you dropped something," called O'eary, who followed him across the grounds.

There was a whimsical smile around the corners of the manager's mouth as he gave Slade a tiny card on which Grace had written:

"I love you."

Ed pinned the clover on his shirt and went joyously confident into his first major league game.

To Be Continued in the Post-Dispatch Thursday.

The Ten Biggest Ports.

From the Wall Street Journal.

What are the 10 greatest maritime cities of the world? How many could name them all, or even a few of them? How many could name the biggest of all? A report just issued by the department of commerce makes such a comparison possible, and it involves some surprises. The total vessel-tonnage movement (entered and cleared) of the 10 largest maritime cities, based upon the reports of either 1903 or 1904, was as follows:

Hongkong	19,591,889
London	19,063,629
Antwerp	17,177,296
New York*	17,936,114
Hamburg	16,694,792
Liverpool	14,489,615
Rotterdam	13,579,620
Cardiff	13,179,156
Shanghai	12,342,535
Singapore	12,004,919

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The vessel-tonnage movement of these 10 cities totals about one-half of the aggregate of the 42 leading ports of the world.

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JUST A MINUTE
FOR Post-Dispatch Verse and... Humor

No Sunday Shave.

I still can't understand the thing;
I'm still completely in the dark,
Why any man who has a face
With whiskers—commonly the case—
For blue laws should be made a mark.

Why should a longing to be clean,
Smooth-faced and decent all the time—
Including Sunday, when a shave
A lover's life, almost, can save—
Be rated as a heinous crime?

Why should a barber who's inclined
To do his work, and does it well,
Be doomed—ah, yes, this puzzles me;
It is a deep, dark mystery—
To languish in a felon's cell?

And yet by grim, majestic law
The hairy face is hedged about;
And so our social reps. to save,
We'll have to buy a razor, shave
Ourselves and cut the barbers out.

Hard Knocks for T. Jefferson.

Frances M. Trollope, mother of Anthony Trollope, the English novelist, visited this country in 1828 and wrote a book about it. In one chapter she discussed American literature, then in its infancy. Just see what raps she gave Thomas Jefferson, whose birthday we celebrated but recently!

"Jefferson's posthumous works were being generally circulated whilst I was in America. They are a mighty mass of mischief. He wrote with more perspicuity than he thought, and his hot-headed democracy has done a fearful injury to his country. Hollow and unsound as his doctrines are, they are but too palatable to a people, each individual of whom would rather derive his importance from believing that none is above him than from the consciousness that in his station he makes part of a noble whole. The social system of Mr. Jefferson, if carried into effect, would make of mankind an unamalgamated mass of grating atoms, where the darling 'I'm as good as you' would soon take the place of the law and gospel. As it is, his principles, though happily not fully put in action, have yet produced most lamentable results. The assumption of equality, however empty, is sufficient to tincture the manners of the poor with brutal insolence, and subjects the rich to the paltry expediency of sanctioning the falsehood, however deep their conviction that it is such.

"It cannot I think be denied that the great men of America attain to power and fame by eternally uttering what they know to be untrue.

"'All men are created equal.' Did the venerable father of the gang believe it, or did he, too, purchase his immortality with a lie?"

Thomas Jefferson the father of a gang? Now, wouldn't that give you a thirst on Sunday?

Compensation.

The heat, this time, may be a hummer,
And yet remember, gentle folks,
That if there were no torrid summer,
The girls would wear no see-skin yokes.

R. H. Bartow, who has eight letters in his name, lost $3800 April 13, after having been at 208 North Ninth street and 708 North Jefferson avenue with two women, one of whom lives at 1308 Pine street. Bartow has been boarding at 1800 Cass avenue. Part of the money was a package containing $550. When he discovered his loss he had only 80 cents left. He swears he never 8 the money. What's the answer?

Now that "the lid" is on, many men will be able to keep the family pot boiling much easier than before.

The Bottled Egg.

To try this entertaining experiment you need a hard-boiled egg and a bottle or flask with a wide body and neck large enough to let the egg sit tightly and snugly on its mouth, end down.

Peel the egg and lay it aside. Then roll up some paper into a shape so that it will burn readily. Light it and throw it into the bottle. As soon as it has burned itself out place the egg firmly on the mouth of the flask, pressing it on just hard enough so that it will close the opening entirely.

Before many moments the egg will begin to stretch itself. It will seem to crawl into the bottle. More and more of it descends, till suddenly, with a pop the whole egg lengthens itself out and slides into the bottle.

What has hapened?

After the egg had been set on the bottle the hot air in it began to cool again. As it cooled it contracted. That made room in the bottle—vacuum, it is called in scientific language. Consequently the air pressure outside of the bottle was greater than the air on the inside, and the poor old egg, being between the two had to yield to the stronger. That is why it slid into the bottle. It had to.

A "Find" in Psychical Fiction.

Doubleday, Page & Co. will shortly publish what they consider a remarkable "find" in psychical fiction called "A Mortgage on the Brain." It is a study in dual personality, and deals with the scientific theory involving radia-activity, which brings it entirely up to date from a scientific point of view. The chief idea of the book is that a man can acquire the temperament and personality of another individual. The author is Vincent Harper, and in this, his first novel, he has shown remarkable ingenuity and cleverness in developing a plot in which an undesirable personality seems to possess the brain of a beautiful woman, whose other "individuality" in anything that is not. The book will be brought out in the early spring and promises to be a literary scientific sensation.

Prominent Socialist Dead.

The funeral of August Delabar of 200 South Broadway, who died at 7:30 o'clock Tuesday night from Bright's disease, will be held Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the St. Louis crematory. Mr. Delabar was one of the prominent Socialists of St. Louis. He was born in Germany, July 20, 1856, and came to this country when only 13 years old. He lived first in San Francisco and later in New York, where he was secretary of the National Bakers' Union. He is credited with doing much to improve the sanitary conditions of baking in the United States. Mr. Delabar moved to St. Louis in 1898. He leaves a widow and two children, Frances and Dominick Delabar.

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REBELLIOUS HUSBANDS.

By Nixola Greeley-Smith, Granddaughter of Horace Greeley.

Written for the Post-Dispatch.

Nixola Greeley-Smith.

A Brooklyn broker, sued last week for divorce, asserted that his domestic difficulties were due to his refusal to wash dishes or cook his own dinner.

Husbands are getting very rebellious these days. They will object to wheeling the perambulator next, or watering the rubber plant. And then what will have society come to?

I remember reading "Lady Clara Vere de Vere" as a little girl, and boiling with indignation at the Tennysonian injunction to the disdainful beauty to "teach the orphan boy to read, or to teach the orphan girl to sew."

Why should boys read or girls sew? I asked. Why should not men cook and sew? The world's greatest dressmakers are and have been men, and the word chef has come to represent all that's finest and most subtle in the gastronomic art.

Why should the husband, whose wife compels him to wash dishes, rebel? Let him strive rather to raise these arts to heights hitherto unattained by woman. The number of men engaged in the same occupation will be strictly limited to the number of good-for-nothing wives, and competition will therefore be less keen than in the more useful fields of masculine endeavor.

Since woman is trying to beat man at his own game, all that is left to him is to beat her at hers. And judged by past efforts in that direction, he ought not to have any difficulty in doing it.

Besides, he will wreak his finest vengeance in the process. For every superior woman an inferior man has been or will be. And there is no burden which can be thrust upon a woman's shoulders equal to that of enforced and protracted superiority.

COST OF COLLEGE SPORT.

A first-class football team is as costly a matter as an up-to-date racing stable, or a fair-sized yacht, writes Ralph D. Paine in April Outing. In order to place 11 young men in the field against Princeton and Harvard last autumn $26,906.06 was spedt, or more than $2000 a head. To fit eight youths to row against Harvard, a test of 20 minutes, cost Yale $16,626.85, or $2000 a head, not counting the coxswain. This is boat-racing at a cost of the best part of a thousand dollars a minute.

The football men were equipped with the greatest possible care. Their shoes alone cost $1189. Uniforms and the armor of the football warrior cost $3,735.52, or nearly a hundred dollars for each of the squad. Hotel bills and meals away from training table cost $5,350.42. Carriage hire, $794. The baseball squad required $2,378.13 worth of merchandise and sporting goods, or about $100 worth of uniforms and shoes per man.

Twenty years ago Yale football cost $2,792.36, and there were great elevens even in those days.

In a recent year the Yale football squad was supplied with 200 footballs, 189 pairs of stockings, 437 elbow and shoulder pads, 70 sweaters, 87 nose guards, 167 jerseys, 170 undershirts and 107 pairs of shoes.

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More Sunday Closing.

Once more the founders of the model city met to discuss proposed Sunday laws.

"Here," said the town clerk, "is a petition, signed by 20 citizens, asking that a quoit-pitching park be kept closed on the Lord's day. The signers declare that boys and men gather there Sundays in great numbers and play from morning till night."

"Who are the petitioners?" asked the chairman.

"Fifteen are saloon keepers in the neighborhood and the rest are ministers."

The chief of police was summoned to the meeting immediately.—Newark (N. J.) Evening News.

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DEATHS.

For death notices too late to classify, see page 15.

BARRY—On Wednesday, April 19, 1905, at 1:30 a. m., Hazel Barry, aged 9 years, beloved daughter of Thomas and Alice Barry (nee Galvin).

Funeral will take place from the family residence, 4044 Lincoln avenue, on Thursday, April 20, at 2 p. m., thence to Calvary Cemetery.

DELABAR—Entered into rest Tuesday, April 18, 1905, at 7 p. m., August Delabar, dearly beloved husband of Franciska Delabar (nee Kaltenbach), aged 44 years and 8 months.

Funeral from family residence, 200 South Broadway, on Thursday, April 20, at 2 p. m., to Crematory. Relatives and friends are invited to attend.

DILLON—Entered into rest Tuesday, April 18, at 12:10 p. m., Johanna Dillon, sister of Mrs. Maurice O'Connell and Mrs. Patrick Kenefick, after a lingering illness, at the age of 30 years.

The funeral will take place Thursday, April 20, at 2 p. m., from the home of her sister, Mrs. Maurice O'Connell, 2354½ Collinsville avenue, East St. Louis, to St. Patrick's Church, thence to Mt. Carmel Cemetery. Friends invited to attend.

GIBLIN—Entered into rest on Tuesday, April 18, 1905, at 1:20 o'clock p. m., Clara Giblin, beloved daughter of Catherine Giblin (nee Coughlin) and the late Thomas Giblin, and sister of Richard, John, George, Henry and Irene Giblin, Mrs. George Smith and Mrs. Oscar Fritsche.

Funeral will take place from the family residence, 2422 Cass avenue, on Thursday, April 20, at 2 o'clock p. m., to St. Leo's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends are respectfully invited.

GLAS—Entered into rest on Monday afternoon, April 17, 1905, Kate Glas (nee Leibrum), beloved wife of Louis Glas, dear mother of Emma and John Glas and daughter of Henrietta Leibrum, after a brief illness, at the age of 53 years.

Funeral will take place on Thursday, April 20, at 2 p. m., from family residence, 2516 Warren street. Relatives and friends are invited to attend.

HITTLER—On Tuesday, April 18, at 5:30 a. m., after a short illness, Mary Eva Hittler (nee Rasteller), beloved mother of Theodore, Earhard and Andrew Hittler and mother-in-law and grandmother, at the age of 76 years and 3 months.

Funeral from residence of her son, Earhard Hittler, 1567 South Third street, Thursday, April 20, at 1:30 p. m., to St. Vincent's Church, thence to SS. Peter and Paul's Cemetery.

KEATING—Entered into rest on Wednesday, April 19, 1905, at 10 o'clock a. m., Catherine Keating (nee Murphy), beloved wife of John Keating.

Funeral will take place from the family residence, 2227 Madison street, to Sacred Heart Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Due notice of time will be given.

KETCHUM—Entered into rest on Tuesday, April 18, 1905, at 11 a. m., Sarah H. Ketchum, beloved wife of Charles W. Ketchum and dear mother of Mrs. E. H. Gleasow and Mrs. Gertie Mills and Minnie Ketchum, after a lingering illness, at the age of 50 years 1 month and 16 days.

Funeral will take place on Thursday, April 20, 1905, at 2:30 p. m., from the residence of her son-in-law, E. H. Gleasow, 2167 East Warne avenue, to Bellefontaine Cemetery. Friends respectfully invited.

Brineville and Portland (Ore.) and Bangor (Me.) papers please copy.

LUECKENSMEIER—Entered into rest on Tuesday, April 18, 1905, at 10:15 p. m., Fred Lueckensmeier, beloved husband of Margaretha Lueckensmeier (nee Weber) and father of Lillie Jordan (nee Lueckensmeier) and father-in-law of Henry J. Jordan, after a lingering illness, at the age of 46 years 5 months and 13 days.

Due notice of funeral from family residence, 2624 North Fifteenth street, will be given.

MENDENHALL—On Wednesday, April 19, at 7:30 a. m., Henry C. Mendenhall, beloved husband of Louisa Mendenhall and father of Viola Mendenhall, aged 51 years.

Funeral from family residence, 212 South Twenty-second street, on Friday, April 21, at p. m. Friends invited to attend.

PANHORST—Entered into rest on Tuesday, April 18, at 7:40 p. m., Clara Panhorst, beloved daughter of Bernhardt and Louise Panhorst (nee Mers) after a brief illness, at the age of 1 year 5 months and 3 days.

Funeral Thursday, April 20, at 1:30 p. m., from family residence, 1817 Warren.

RANDALL—On Tuesday, April 18, 1905, at 8 a. m., at his home, 3267 Walter avenue, Maplewood, Mo., Gilbert B. Randall, aged 24 years, husband of Gussie Randall (nee Quehl).

Funeral from residence, Thursday, April 20, at 2 p. m., to Oakhill Cemetery, in Kirkwood.

SCHAUB—On Tuesday, April 18, 1905, at 11 a. m., after a short illness, Barbara Schaub (nee Schlichter), beloved mother of Annie Schober (nee Schaub) and Catherine Hoelscher (nee Schaub) and father-in-law of William Schober and August Hoelscher, at the age of 61 years and 11 months.

Funeral from residence, 3123 South Broadway, Thursday, April 20, at 1:30 p. m. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

SQUIRES—Entered into rest on Wednesday, April 19, at 1:45 a. m., Joann P. Squires, beloved husband of Josephine Squires (nee G'sell), dear father of Joseph H. Squires, son of Adeline Squires and dear brother of Mrs. Jennie Hiner, Mattie and Lyman Squires, after a lingering illness, at the age of 55 years.

Funeral Thursday, April 20, at 2 p. m., from family residence, 3001 Gravois avenue, to St. Francis de Sales' Church, thence to Mount Olive Cemetery. Funeral private.

Deceased was a member of Carl Moller Council No. 2032, Royal Arcanum.

Memphis (Tenn.) papers please copy.

WASSERZIEHER.—Entered into rest Tuesday, April 18, at 7:30 a. m., Mrs. E. J. Wasserzieher (nee Williams), beloved wife of E. J. Wasserzieher, aged 19.

Funeral will take place Thursday, 20th inst., 2 p. m., from family residence, 3625 Cozens avenue, thence to Calvary Cemetery.

Decatur (Ill.) papers please copy.

ZENS—Entered into rest on Tuesday, April 18, 1905, at 5:40 a. m., Marian Zens (nee McHugh), beloved wife of Charles Zens and mother of Caspar, May and Lizzie Zens, at the age of 30 years 7 months and 2 days.

Knights of Columbus and friends are invited to attend the funeral and services from family residence, 2129 Sidney street, to St. Agnes' Church (Sidena and Sidney), at 2 p. m., Thursday, April 20, thence to SS. Peter and Paul's Cemetery.

New York (N. Y.), Troy (N. Y.), Albany (N. Y.) and Newark (N. J.) papers please copy.

NOTICE.

We desire to thank our friends and brother Odd Fellows for the kind sympathy extended to us during our bereavement.

MRS. AMOS MATHEWS, DAUGHTER AND SONS.

Daughters and Rebekah Leah Lodge, 223, please take notice you are requested to meet at your hall 11:30 a. m., Thursday, April 20, 1905, to attend the funeral of Sister Lizzie Wattis.

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Amos Mathews, 66, 2317 Minnesota; nephritis.
Alvira Curtis, 67, 1845 N. Leffingwell; calculi.
James Rice, 58, 2312 Mullanphy; uremia.
E. Marcoser, 63, 1730 O'Fallon; bronchitis.
Maria Kremer, 61, 2915A Chouteau; carcinoma.
Addia K. Fisher, 24, 6454 Virginia; fever.
Samuel Vanskike, 91, 2430 Sheridan; old age.
John Hanson, 77, Poorhouse; tuberculosis.
R. H. Taple, 36, 1712A Eads; tuberculosis.
P. D. Matheweson, 85, 519 S. Garrison; tuberculosis.
George Flach, 29, 1429 S. 3d; phthisis.
H. Nerechting, 23, 1723 N. 13th; accident.
Andreas Kruse, 84, 1213 Sidney; cystitis.
Mary Walsh, 64, 3133 Sheridan; carcinoma.
Henry Wenes, 54, 317 Clever; tuberculosis.
Kate Carter, 1, 1929A Sullivan; diphtheria.
J. Taylor, 1, 3012 Morgan; cerebral meningitis.
O. Wallack, 1, 205 Russell; cerebral meningitis.
J. H. Calvey, 40, 209 S. 14th; cancer of breast.
Same, 6, 1909 Temple; pneumonia.
E. Schutte, 39, 4202 Kossuth; nephritis.
Emanuel Bruner, 39, 103 Centers; nephritis.
W. G. Hurtle, 67, 2323 Tennessee; nephritis.
M. J. Reddicks, 24, 1705 N. 11th; pulmonaris tuberculosis.

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Arnold and N. Schweinzer, 4282 Kossuth; boy.
Adolph and Frances Schultz, 2304 N. 9th; boy.
S. and Fanny Susman, 2322 Walnut; boy.
F. and L. Louie Seay, 2618 N. 23d; boy.
N. and H. Anderson, 2631 Washington; boy.
H. and Ida Streiter, 1226 S. 8th; boy.
L. and Annie Russia, 1325 N. 8th; boy.
E. and C. Echtenkamp, 3216 Blair; boy.
Joseph and Fanny Fadem, 1003½ High; boy.
Fred and Lydia Pickesen, 405 Clark; boy.
M. and S. Ohlheiman, 1015 N. 13th; boy.
Jemies P. and Mattie Hart, 4450 Easton; boy.
W. and T. Limpert, 3462 S. Jefferson; boy.
Joe. and Rosa Hahn, Female Hospital; boy.
John and Lou Broun, Female Hospital; boy.
W. A. and Clara C. Walker, Branner pl.; girl.
Frank and Edna Brown, 2242A Walnut; girl.
John and Louisa Ferries, 3517 Louisiana; girl.
John and Margaret Grant, 1408 Montrose; girl.
S. and R. Haas, 4408 S. Grand; girl.
John and Bertha Heemann, 3200 N. 31th; girl.
H. L. and Jennie Haack, 3610 Missouri; girl.
Albert and Annie Kent, 2207 Adams; girl.
Joseph and Alice Miller, 5803 Minnesota; girl.
Herman and Lena Fawhorst, 2114 Fair; girl.
J. R. and C. V. Mason, 3019 Wyoming; girl.
Owen and Katie Gilooley, 822 Montrose; girl.
D. and M. Miller, Female Hospital; girl.
S. and M. Burrow, Female Hospital; girl.
P. and M. Williford, Female Hospital; girl.

THE BOOK EXCHANGE.

BOOKS of all kinds bought and sold; call or send address to Mills' Book Store, 607 Chestnut. (8)

LOST AND FOUND.

14 Words, 20c.

BOOK—Lost, book, "Life of St. Vincent," at Broadway and Washington. Return 4133 Cook.

BUTTON—Lost, ladies' photo button; gold rim; please return to 3606 Hebert st. Reward.

CARPET—Lost, carpet, Saturday, at ..., Ohio av., or on way to Granite City. ... telephone D1156 and receive reward. (3)

CROSS—Lost, gold cross, from 22d st. to St. Bridget's Church. Finder return 2129 Davision st.; reward.

DOG—Lost or strayed, a female water spaniel; strayed from 1311 Lasa av. Reward.

DOG—Lost, small pug dog, Sunday evening. Return to 5019 Etzel av.; reward, $5.

DOG—Lost, dog, bull terrier, black spot around one eye; license No. 46; reward. 2008 Wash.

HANDBAG—Lost, Saturday, ... in Grand-Leader, May Co. or vicinity, brown handbag containing $11.70, papers and handkerchief; reward. Return 1247 Rosciid av.

LOCKET—Lost, small gold locket; initials J. G. K.; reward if returned. 204 S. 4th st. (3)

POCKETBOOK—Lost, this morning, on Lee car, small pocketbook with money, trunk key and knife. Return key to 4009 N. 23d st.

POCKETBOOK—Lost, containing $30 and working card, on Compton, between Lucas and Morgan or on Morgan, between Compton and Garrison, or on Garrison, from Morgan and Cass. 3218 Lucas. Receive reward.

PUPPY—Lost, English terrier puppy 4 months old; tan color; male; has collar and license No. 12,013; reward if returned to 4548 Westminster.

SEAL RING—Lost; 18th and Chouteau, Tuesday, 6 p. m. Return to 2953 St. Vincent av.; reward.

WATCH, ETC.—Lost, lady's gold watch and World's Fair pin; S. R. on outside of case and S. Rogers in inside; lost between Adams and 17th and Chouteau, Sunday afternoon. Return 3134 S. 21st st.; reward.

Found.

COW—Found, stray cow. 4817 Bulwer av.

DEED—Found, deed, in envelope, addressed Mc-Schweitzer. Apply Post-Dispatch Lost and Found Bureau. (6)

LOCKET—Found, "T. A. R." can get locket by applying to Mrs. Lewis, 12 N. Spring.

MONEY—Found, small sum of money which owner may have on describing same and paying for this ad. Ad. G 15, Post-Dispatch.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE

20 Words, 10c.

BOOKKEEPER—Position by young married man as bookkeeper and allround office man; best of references. Ad. G 52, Post-Dispatch. (6)

BOOKKEEPER—Young man wants position as bookkeeper or clerk; good references. Ad. G 27, Post-Dispatch.

BOY—Sit. wanted by boy, 16 years; would like to learn plumbing and drive a wagon. 4642 Easton av.

BOY—Boy of 18 wants any kind of work; salary, $5 week with room and board. Ad. G 91, Post-Dispatch.

CARPENTER—Wants sit. with contractor and builder; nonunion; good at repairs or new work. Ad. F. C. Thomas, 4043 N. Broadway. (1)

CARPET LAYER—Sit. wanted by experienced carpet layer. Ad. L., 812 Benton st. (4)

CLERK—Wholesale dry goods clerk desires position; retail house; Saturday afternoon. Ad. G 54, Post-Dispatch.

COACHMAN—Sit. wanted by colored man as coachman and care for horses and work around house. 4030 Finney.

COACHMAN—Sit. wanted by experienced coachman and horseman; understands care of lawn and flowers; city of country. Ad. F 122, Post-Dispatch. (33)

DISTRIBUTER—Sit. wanted as circular distributer and advertising agent; city references. Ad. G 153, Post-Dispatch.

DRAFTSMAN—Sit. by young man, patent office and mechanical drawing to do in leisure time. Apply 603 Carleton bldg. (4)

DRAFTSMAN—Mechanical draftsman, graduate of Scranton School, wishes place tracing; or other work. C. F. Holmes, 2941 Washington. (3)

DRAFTSMAN—Sit. by young man, pattern office and mechanical drawing to do in leisure time. Apply 603 Carleton bldg. (4)

DRIVER—Sit. wanted by good driver; well acquainted with city. Ad. G 60, Post-Dispatch.

DRUG CLERK Wtd.—Registered; at once. 7631 S. Broadway.

GARDENER—Wants work part of time; on lawns, flowers, fruits and vegetables. Ad. G 61, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSEMAN—Japanese wants position as houseman or gardener; good references. Ad. F 28, Post-Dispatch. (3)

HOUSEBOY—Sit. wanted as houseboy; colored; waiting on table in private boarding house; good wages; please write. K. Cooper, 3499 Washington bl.

HOUSEMAN—Experienced houseman and gardener (white), permanent, wants sit. in private family; present employee moving away; sober, reliable, refs. Ad. G 78, Post-Dispatch.

MACHINIST—Practical German machinist desires position with factory, in or out of city; expert in repairing and handling all kinds of metals and boilers; strictly reliable. Ad. G 190, Post-Dispatch. (4)

MAN—Honest, temperate young man wants steady work of any kind. Ad. 4106A Chouteau.

MAN—With one horse and wagon wants steady hauling. 2518 N. Sarah.

MAN—Sit. by elderly man, light work or watchman; good worker; sober and best of references. Ad. G 186, Post-Dispatch. (4)

MAN—Sit. wanted, store or residence, by elderly German-American; intelligent, industrious and temperate. Ad. G 110, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Colored man would like work in West End; coachman or carriage driver. 2117 Randolph pl. F. Wyse. (3)

MAN—Sit. wanted as luncheon or porter in saloon, by one that understands Creole style of cooking. Ad. G. Hamilton, 321 Poplar st.

MAN AND WIFE—Sits. wanted; colored; to work in private family; wife to cook, man to work around house. Ad. J. N., 3908 Linloll, or 801 S. Rosciid av.

MAN—An educated man, 29 years old, desires any kind of clerical work; experienced in com. and box shop business. Lock Box 12, Troy, Ill. (9)

MAN—Sit. wanted in wholesale grocery house by first-class man, now employed; either as bookkeeper, bill clerk or profit clerk; understands the business thoroughly. Ad. D 2, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Young man, desiring to learn plumbing, wishes sit. as helper with registered plumber; steady, sober and not afraid of work. Ad. H. N. E., 4361 Evans av.

PAINTER—Sit. wanted by young man to do house painting or carriage painting; good man. 4240 Vista av.

PAPER HANGERS Wtd.—Pay 10c roll; furnish paste and move tools. Ad. G 22, Post-Dispatch.

PORTER—Young man wants sit. as porter or houseman. Ad. H. C., 4435 Lucky st.

PORTER—Sit. by experienced colored man as porter. 1621 Lucas av.

PORTER—Sit. by young man as porter; good references. 2921 Bell av., 2d floor.

SALESMAN—Sit. by young man, 27, first-class men's furnishings and shoe salesman. Ad. G 108, Post-Dispatch.

SPIELER—Sit. wanted as spieler or doorman; at present engaged. Ad. G 25, Post-Dis.

STABLEMAN—Wants permanent employment; understands care both driving and work horses, fine rigs, hunting wagons, harness, etc. Ad. G 77, Post-Dispatch.

TRAVELING SALESPEOPLE—Married couple would like to hear of good proposition to advertise and introduce in cities and towns through west first-class article for reliable manufacturing concern; At references; salary and commission. Weinbeck, 158 Warren av., Chicago. (33)

TRIMMER, ETC.—Expert trimmer and cart writer wants situation; a few days' work at several stores preferred. Ad. G 176, Post-Dis.

WATCHMAN—Sit. wanted as watchman; can refer East St. Louis please. W. T. Byrum, 2719 Summit av., East St. Louis, Ill.

WATCHMAN—Middle-aged man would like position as night watchman; steady, sober and reliable. Ad. F 26, Post-Dispatch.

YARDMAN—Reliable colored man wants more places in West End to care for lawn and steps. Ward, 1800 S. Cardinal av. (4)

YARDMAN—Sit. wanted by elderly man; yard, garden, take care of horse, can milk; experienced and references; I. O. O. F. Ad. G 86, Post-Dispatch.

HAVE been manufacturing clothing for a number of years in New York, also in the jobbing of cotton and silk piece goods to manufacturers and dry goods houses; have a general knowledge of merchandise; would like to get in with a reputable firm, wholesale or retail house; no objection to traveling; highest northern references furnished; also reputable firm in this city whom I have been doing business with; will accept responsible position even if it is in a small town. Ad. G 170, Post-Dispatch. (3)

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE

20 Words, 10c.

BOOKKEEPER—Young lady wishes position as bookkeeper, cashier or stenographer; 6 years' experience; best references. Ad. G 136, P.-D.

CASHIER—Young lady would like position as cashier, more for experience than wages. Ad. D 85, Post-Dispatch.

COOK—Sit. by experienced cook, in boarding house or family; settled woman; best references. 3108 Pine st.

COOK—Sit. wanted by first-class colored woman as cook in private family; no washing. 2606 Lawton.

DISHWASHER—Sit. by middle-aged lady as dishwasher in a boarding house. Ad. G 65, P.-D.

GIRL—A respectable colored girl wants position as chambermaid.

GIRLS—Sit. wanted by 2 southern girls; house cleaning by day; good workers. Call or write Scruggs & Williams, 2123 Walnut st. (3)

HOUSEKEEPERS—Sits. wanted by two reliable women. 1920 Franklin, upstairs, in rear.

HOUSEGIRL—German girl wants good place for housework. Apply rear 1020 N. 14th.

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. wanted; widow, 27 years old. 1920 Franklin.

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. wanted as housekeeper or companion; can furnish best of references and willing to leave the city. Ad. F 153, P.-D. (6)

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. wanted by thoroughly capable woman in hotel or private family. Ad. 5014 Vernon av. (4)

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. as housekeeper by middle-aged lady, with hotel experience; references. Ad. G 88, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. by middle-aged lady as housekeeper for small family without any children. 3414 Lucas av.

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. wanted by young lady as housekeeper, for widower or bachelor; call or write. 1200A Franklin av.

HOUSEGIRL—Sit. by neat colored girl to do general housework; private family; no washing. Emma Jones, 702 N. 15th st.

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. by widow as working housekeeper, in widower's family. Apply 1445 Chambers st.

HOUSEWOMAN—Sit. wanted by respectable woman, with daughter of 11; city or country; no laundry; of ligvald or infant or light housework. R., Berry rd., Kirkwood, Mo., care G. B. Frieson.

HOUSEKEEPER—Position wanted as housekeeper by refined widow lady in bachelor or widower's home, within a radius of 100 miles from St. Louis; St. Louis references exchanged. Ad. Mrs. A. B., 1420A Cass.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. wanted by good laundress; first-class references. 2112 Franklin, rear.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. wanted by first-class laundress, to take work home. 4166 Fairfax.

LAUNDRESS—Girl wants every day out, to wash, except Monday. 3310 Franklin, rear.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. wanted by first-class laundress, to bring washing home. Mrs. Parks, 2514 Goode.

LAUNDRESS—Laundry work wanted by colored laundress to bring home. 4017 Easton.

LAUNDRESS—Will exchange work for basement room. 2612 Locust.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. wanted by first-class colored laundress. 2205 Walnut st.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. by experienced German laundress. 154 Dorcas st.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. by colored woman to do laundry work or house cleaning by the day. 2648 Pine st.

LAUNDRESS—Wants washing to bring home; first-class references. 1612 Morgan st.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. wanted by good laundress, by day; colored. 719 N. 16th st.

LAUNDRESS—Wants Monday or Tuesday; first-class references. Ad. 1612 Morgan st.

LAUNDRESS—Wants first 3 days; will wash for $1 a day and car fare; good references; write. 1012 Morgan st.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. wanted; laundry work or housecleaning by the day; by experienced white lady. Ad. Mrs. Landis, 828 N. 18th st. (3)

LAUNDRESS—Sit. wanted by first-class colored laundress, with references, Wednesday and Thursday. 1824 Morgan.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. wanted by colored laundress, washing and ironing to bring home or go out by the day. 2906 Wash.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. wanted as laundress, go out by day, or housecleaning. 2002 Mills. Martha Darrs.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. wanted by first-class laundress; can take home a few washings; call or send postal. Lulu, 214 N. Theresa av.

NURSE—Wanted, nursing, by practical nurse; confinement. Mrs. S. Fairbrother, 1927 N. 12th.

NURSE—Sit. by good, steady colored woman as nurse; can give good references. 81 Johnson.

NURSE—Middle-aged lady, experienced nurse, wants confinement cases, etc. Ad. H 2, Post-D.

OFFICE LADY—Office work wanted by young lady; several years' experience in general office work. Ad. G 175, Post-Dispatch.

OFFICE LADY—Sit. by lady, in office; 6 years' experience; good typewriter and penman. Ad. G 176, Post-Dispatch.

SEAMSTRESS—Wants plain sewing, 4126A Chouteau av.

SEAMSTRESS—Wanted, sewing in private family, by good seamstress; $1 a day. Ad. 1409 Coulter.

SEAMSTRESS—Wanted, dressmaking, sewing, by the day or piece. 3316 Franklin av.

STENOGRAPHER—Wanted, by expert, capable stenographer, whose time is not fully occupied, circulars or form letters for home work; accurate work, neatly and promptly done, is my specialty. Ad. G 133, Post-Dispatch.

STENOGRAPHER—Sit. wanted by first-class stenographer; accurate and correct; 3 years' experience; also bill clerk, assistant bookkeeper and generally useful around good office; can furnish first-class references; will start on moderate salary. Ad. G 146, Post-Dispatch. (4)

WOMEN—Sits. wanted by two colored women as chambermaids; experienced. Call 1853 Gratiot.

WOMAN—A neat colored woman would like position as cook, nurse or chambermaid. Call 1200 Poplar.

WOMAN—Wants to do house cleaning by the day; wages $1.00. Call at 2712 Locust st. Mrs. Grohs.

WYMAN—Sit. wanted by reliable colored woman as cook; no laundry; first-class private family; city references; call morning. 1906 Lawton; no postals.

HELP WANTED—MALE.

14 Words, 20c.

APPRENTICE Wtd.—Painter's apprentice, with experience. Call at job, 5241 McPherson. P. B. Laurence.

BAKER Wtd.—Second hand, for Planters' Hotel. Apply to head baker.

BARBER Wtd.—612 guaranteed. 1104 N. Taylor.

BARBER Wtd.—Old man preferred. 923 S. 14th.

BARBER Wtd.—Good barber; bring tools; ready for work. 1615 Franklin av.

BARBER Wtd.—Good barber; steady work; good wages. 929 N. 8th.

BARBER Wtd.—Good barber; bring tools; ready for work. 1615 Franklin av.

BARBER Wtd.—First-class barber, for union shop. 419 Chestnut st.

BARBER Wtd.—$11 guaranteed. Northwest corner of 18th and Market.

BARBER Wtd.—Young barber for country town; steady job if suitable. Ad. J 118, Post-Dis.

BARBER Wtd.—Good barber; steady work for right man; $13 guaranteed. 4268 Manchester av.

BARBER Wtd.—First-class barber; good place to work; steady; apply at once. 3607 S. Broadway.

BELLBOY Wtd.—About 14 years of age; must live at house. Apply Edlisen Hotel. 107 N. 18th.

BLACKSMITH, ETC., Wtd.—Good blacksmith and horseshoer; at once. 7845 Ivory.

BLACKSMITH HELPERS Wtd.—Two. Peter Wagner, 3400 S. Broadway. (4)

BLACKSMITHS, ETC., Wtd.—Blacksmiths and hammersmiths, helpers, heaters, hammer boys and riveters. St. Louis Car Co., 3000 N. Broadway. (3)

BOILER MAKERS Wtd.—Nonunion, with locomotive experience; good wages; steady work; free transportation. Apply 519 Panama bldg., 210 Olive st.

BOOKKEEPER Wtd.—Young man to assist on books; write good hand; salary $8 week; increase if work satisfactory; best references required. Ad. H 15, Post-Dispatch.

BOOKKEEPERS Wtd.—Three first-class ledgermen; must be accurate, neat and rapid; permanent position. Ad., stating experience, reference and salary expected, G 18, Post-Dis. (4)

BOY Wtd.—Office boy. 2812 Shenandoah av.

BOY Wtd.—At paper box factory, 108 Pine st.

BOY Wtd.—1525 S. Broadway.

BOY Wtd.—Good boy to learn carriage painting. F. Boettler, 2621 Cass av.

BOY Wtd.—Good boy to ride pony. 1417 Chestnut st.

BOYS Wtd.—Between 14 and 15 years old. Grau-Meyer Milling Co., 2d and Destrehan. (33)

BOY Wtd.—A good boy to work in bakery; German preferred. Apply Sleeper's, 1017 Olive.

BOY WTD.—16 to 18 years old, for laboring. Furniture factory 2820 N. 15th st.

BOY Wtd.—Strong boy, in Steiner's dry goods store, 1606 S. Broadway.

BOYS Wtd.—White boys, to work in factory. Apply Stromberg, Kraus & Co., 13th and Chestnut.

BOY Wtd.—Good stout boy about 17 to learn carpenter trade. 5431 Whittier pl.

BOYS Wtd.—Willing to work; steady employment. Smith-Davis Mfg. Co., 20th and Locust. (5)

BOY Wtd.—German, experienced in drug business. 2732 Chippewa.

BOY Wtd.—Good German boy to do general work around saloon. 1213 Park av.

BOY Wtd.—Stock boy, not afraid of work; good chance to learn something. Penny & Geuties.

BOY Wtd.—Colored boy for porter work. 4129 Delmar bl.

BOYS Wtd.—2 colored boys to shine shoes. 716½ Olive st.

BOY Wtd.—Small boy to answer telephone. St. Louis Tailorina Co., room 304, 706½ Pine st.

BOYS Wtd.—Must be 14 years old; $4 per week. Columbia Box Co., 19th and North Market. (8)

BOYS Wtd.—14 years of age. Mengel Box Co., Folsom and Lawrence.

BOY Wtd.—In office; must be neat, bright and honest; answer in own handwriting, with references. Ad. G 90, Post-Dispatch.

BOY Wtd.—Boy of 14, to run errands and work about factory. Priestly Ash Hitters Co., 103 S. 21st st.

BOYS Wtd.—To work in machine shop; must be over 14 and bring parents' consent. Apply 2800 De Kalb st. (1)

BOYS Wtd.—To work in can factory; must be 14 years of age. Apply Brecht Butcher Supply Co., 1210 Mullanphy st. (4)

BOYS Wtd.—100 boys, 14 to 16 years old. Apply Bottling Dept., 11th and Pestalozzi, Anheuser-Busch.

BOY HELPER Wtd.—One who has had some experience in tin shop. Eagle Metal Works, 1510-1512 Clark av.

BUFFER Wtd.—One buffer, for brass works. American Car Co., 1625-Old Manchester rd

BUSHELMAN Wtd.—Good wages; steady work. Fox & Co., 615 Pine.

BUSHELMAN Wtd.—Practical bushelman, for East St. Louis; permanent position. Ad. G 14, Post-Dispatch.

CABINET MAKER Wtd.—First-class. American Car Co., 1625 Old Manchester.

CARPENTERS Wtd.—2045 McRee av.

CARPENTERS Wtd.—3 nonunion carpenters, at once. Inquire at drug store, 1000 Cass.

CARPENTERS Wtd.—For finishing. 4140 Shenandoah av.

CARPENTERS Wtd.—Four nonunion carpenters, for 30 bricklayers. Apply Southern Illinois Construction Co., St. Louis av. and Belt Railway, East St. Louis. (7)

CARPET CLEANER Wtd.—Someone that understands cleaning carpets on floor, 909 S. 7th st., St. Louis Feed Co. (8)

CARPET LAYER Wtd.—Carpet layer, cutter and fitter; permanent position to right party; references required. The Louis Hax Furniture Co., St. Joseph, Mo. (3)

CLERK Wtd.—Stock clerk, thoroughly experienced in saddlery business. Apply Meyer, Bannerman & Co., 6th and Locust.

CLERK Wtd.—Experienced young hardware clerk to wait on counter trade and make himself generally useful. Ad. G 19, Post-Dispatch. (4)

CLERKS Wtd.—3 first-class office assistants; must be rapid and accurate at figures. Ad., with reference, stating experience and salary expected. Ad. G 17, Post-Dispatch. (4)

CLERK Wtd.—Young man, to care for horse, deliver and clerk in grocery and meat market; references; call today in person, ready to go to work; salary $52 per month. Hainselmann, Kirkwood.

COACHMAN Wtd.—One who can make himself generally useful about the house. Apply at 1002 Locust st.

COATMAKER, ETC., Wtd.—Steady work; $6 to $13; also good vestmaker. Weinstein, Tailor, Ft. Smith, Ark. (3)

COMPOSITORS Wtd.—815 Locust, 3d floor.

COMPOSITOR Wtd.—Job compositor. Apply at Niven-Jones Prtg. Co., 215 Pine st.

COOK Wtd.—A short order cook. 1611 Franklin.

COOK Wtd.—Short order cook; night work. 2310 Olive st.

COOK Wtd.—Good cook (German); no Sunday work. Tony Faust Restaurant. (4)

COOK Wtd.—Colored; male or female. 1022 N. 16th st.

COOK Wtd.—Good short order cook; night work. 506 Market st.

CUPOLA TENDER Wtd.—At the Union Iron and Foundry Co., 1452 S. 2d st. (8)

CUTTER Wtd.—For sash and door factory. Planing Mill Department and Monroe.

DELIVERY BOYS Wtd.—Salary $3.50 per week. Apply HETZEL IMPORTING CO., 414-416 N. Broadway.

DISHWASHER Wtd.—At once; good wages. 16-18 Bridge approach.

DISHWASHER Wtd.—Man. Hotel Molthrop, Granite City, Ill. Phone Kinloch 117. (3)

DISHWASHER Wtd.—Male. Burlington Hotel, 6706 Market st.

DRAFTSMAN Wtd.—Young man; state salary and references. P. O. Box 718.

DRIVER Wtd.—State last place of employment. Ad. E 40, Post-Dispatch.

DRIVER Wtd.—Boy to drive butcher's delivery wagon. 4103 Olive st.

DRIVER CLERK Wtd.—Must speak German; reference; single. Barkhoefer Drug Store.

ERRAND BOY Wtd.—Living with parents; reference. Arcade 608 Olive st.

FEEDERS Wtd.—For cylinder presses. Bemis Bro. Bag Co., 4th and Poplar.

FINISHERS, ETC., Wtd.—1st-class finishers and helpers on architectural wrought iron work. 421 S. 8th st.

FLORIST Wtd.—Good workman. A. Johnson, 6324 Easton.

FOREMAN Wtd.—For lumber yard. Apply at King's clubway and Norfolk. (4)

FRAMERS AND SIDERS Wtd.—Car framers and siders. Apply 2800 De Kalb st., city. (1)

Freight Handlers Wanted

Experienced freight handlers wanted. Apply at ... Ninth Market st.

HELP WANTED—MALE.

14 Words, 20c.

HARNESS MAKER Wtd.—Good harness maker; for repair and new work. J. W. Tuckett, 926 N. Broadway.

HELPERS Wtd.—Boiler makers' helpers, nonunion, with locomotive experience; good wages; steady work; free transportation. Apply 519 Panama bldg., 210 Olive st. (5)

HOSTLER Wtd.—2318 Market st.

HOUSEMAN Wtd.—First-class Houseman. Apply Grand Avenue Hotel.

HOUSEMEN AND WALL WASHERS Wtd.—Apply Southern Hotel. (4)

HOUSEBOY Wtd.—Colored boy who understands housework and care of lawn. Apply office, 112 N. 2d st.

IRONWORKERS Wtd.—To erect iron fences. Ludlow-Saylor Wire Co., 400 S. Newstead. (3)

IRON WORKERS Wtd.—Union Iron and Foundry Co., 1452 S. 2d st.

LABORERS Wtd.—Apply American Car and Foundry Co., Madison, Ill. (3)

LABORERS Wtd.—Alley south of Clarendon and Page. Heman Const. Co.

LABORERS Wtd.—Union iron and Foundry Co., 1452 S. 2d st. (3)

LABORERS AND TEAMS Wtd.—Prairie and Penrose. (3)

LABORERS AND TEAMS Wtd.—Vandeventer and Cleveland ave. (4)

LABORERS, ETC., Wtd.—50 laborers and teams; Cote Brilliante and Whittier st. (3)

LABORERS AND TEAMS

HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

14 Words, 20c.

Household Servants Only, 14 Words, 14c.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Girl or woman for housework; 2 in family; call, 2213 Franklin av.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Experienced housegirl; also to assist in cooking. 3927 Lucas av.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—For general housework; family of adults. 2254A S. Vandeventer.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—For general housework; good wages. 5107 Cabanne.

HOUSEMAID Wtd.—Good colored housemaid; references required. 5057 Westminster. (8)

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Good white girl for general housework; family of 2. 3108 Easton av. (8)

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—A good girl for general housework; small family; good pay. 3707 Bartmer.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Girl for general housework in small family. 5021A Page.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—A competent girl for general housework; small family. 4564 Fountain.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—A white girl for general housework; with or without washing. 4317 Lucky.

HOUSEWOMAN Wtd.—Colored, for general housework in small family. 2836 Lucas.

HOUSEWOMAN Wtd.—Woman for general housework; at once. Baizer, 2870 S. 7th st.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Girl for general housework; 4 rooms; 4 in family. 1920 Chouteau.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Girl for general housework; no washing. 3824 Finney.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—A competent girl for general housework; city references. 5427 Page.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—German girl for general housework. 2104 S. Jefferson av.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—A girl for general housework; good wages. 4206 Finney av.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Girl for general housework; small family; good wages. 2550 N. Jefferson.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Girl for general housework; no washing. 4160 West Belle.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Good girl for general housework; no laundry; wages $18. 4127 McPherson.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Girl for general housework; small family. 4145 Magnolia.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Young girl for general housework; small family. 1212 Hickory.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Competent housegirl for general housework; pay good wages. 3329 Laclede.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Young girl for light housework. 2814 Salena st.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—For general housework; no washing; good wages. 4954 Russell av.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Girl for general housework; $20. 4541 West Pine.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Girl for general housework; 2 in family; pay $5 week. 3015 Shenandoah av.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Experienced girl for housework and plain cooking; good wages. 2853 Lafayette av. (4)

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Girl for general inside housework; good wages; small family. Apply 5420 Maple av.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Experienced colored girl for general housework; small family; good wages. 1032 N. Leffingwell.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Girl or woman for housework; good wages; no washing or ears of children. Apply at 212 S. 2d st., upstairs. (4)

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—German girl for general housework; two in family. Call after 6 p. m., third floor. 1801 Olive.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Girl for general housework; wages $20 a month. Phone Forest 199, 5561 Von Versen av.

HOUSEWOMAN Wtd.—Middle-aged woman for general housework. Apply, with references, 3526 Elm av., Webster Groves. (3)

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Experienced girl for general housework; small family; good wages. 4465 Morgan st.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Girl for general housework; family of two; good wages. B., 4206A Clarelind av.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Good girl for general housework; good position and good wages. 4469 Morgan st. (4)

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—A white girl for general housework; good pay; private family. 907 N. Leonard av.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—A good girl to do general housework and washing; good wages paid. 1414 S. Ewing av. (4)

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Girl for general housework; good wages. Apply 326 Elm av., Webster Groves, Mo. (3)

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LAUNDRESS Wtd.—Good laundress for Thursday and Friday at 3438 Pine st.

LAUNDRESS Wtd.—For Thursday and Friday. 6000 Horton pl.

LAUNDRESS Wtd.—Woman, to wash and iron; family of two. 3219A Lafayette av.

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NURSEGIRL Wtd.—About 17 years old. 5123 Fairmount.

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NURSEGIRL Wtd.—Neat, competent nursegirl for 18-months-old babe; must go home nights. 2948 Adelaide, near O'Fallon Park.

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SALESLADY Wtd.—Sharp, shrewd, experienced cloak and suit saleslady; no other need apply. Bee Hive Store, 1112 Franklin.

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Apply to Superintendent,
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SKIRTMAKERS Wtd.—Good skirtmakers. Apply Sigerld, 532 N. Vandeventer av.

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IRONER Wtd.—Ladies' clothes ironer. Mercantile Laundry, 3319 Manchester.

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EASTON AV., 3116A—Furnished front rooms; 1 or 2 gentlemen or man and wife.

EASTON AV., 2814—Nicely furnished front; also back rooms; light rooms; bath; reasonable.

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FRANKLIN AV., 3026—Two connecting, elegantly furnished front rooms; light housekeeping; conveniences.

FRANKLIN AV., 3428—2 well furnished connecting rooms for housekeeping; gas and hot bath; reasonable.

FRANKLIN AV., 3406—2 or 3 newly decorated rooms; private family; housekeeping; gas, hot bath. (4)

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LAWTON AV., 2801—Nicely furnished rooms, with or without housekeeping; reasonable.

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ROOMS FOR RENT—CITY.

14 Words, 10c.

LOCUST ST., 2719—3 unfurnished rooms for housekeeping.

LOCUST ST., 2618—Second-story front room; also small room; 2 for light housekeeping.

LOCUST ST., 2145—Special rates for table board; the Cecil; Bell phone Beaumont 771A. (70)

LOCUST ST., 2806—Nice rooms newly decorated; house cleaning done; single and housekeeping rooms.

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LUCAS AV., 3062—Nicely furnished rooms, with gas and bath; $4.

LUCAS AV., 418—Nice, clean rooms, 15c to 25c daily; $1 to $1.50 weekly. (6)

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MORGAN ST., 1913—Furnished room for housekeeping or gents; $1 up.

MORGAN ST., 2806—2d-floor front alcove; veranda; to housekeeping; connecting rooms, 3d floor, $2 a week.

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OLIVE ST., 1504—Nicely furnished, clean and light room; southern exposure; gas, hot bath.

OLIVE ST., 2801—5 large rooms, furnished or unfurnished; second floor. (8)

OLIVE ST., 2941—Neatly furnished front room; for housekeeping; also other connecting rooms. (4)

OLIVE ST., 2130—Neat front room with hot bath; gas; 1 single room; reasonable.

OLIVE ST., 2736—Rooms for light housekeeping; reasonable.

OLIVE ST., 2068—Desirable front room, neatly furnished; also one single; all conveniences.

OLIVE ST., 1821—Neatly furnished 2d-story front; other rooms; hot water baths free; southern exposure.

OLIVE ST., 3501-03-09—Furnished or unfurnished front rooms, first, second and third floors; electric light and phone. (3)

OLIVE ST., 3214—Furnished rooms; also light housekeeping; bath included; prices reasonable; nice location.

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PAGE AV., 3750—Furnished front room for gentleman; $4 week; gas, bath.

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PINE ST., 3148—Large room for widow; cheap; good place for good laundress; water in room. (7)

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ROOMS—Widow has elegantly furnished rooms; quiet, convenient location; phone Beaumont 783. (6)

ROOMS—Three elegantly furnished rooms, for gentlemen; West End; private family. Ad. G 20, Post-Dispatch. (1)

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ST. ANGE AV., 1121—Furnished 2d-floor front, with small kitchen; housekeeping; also middle room.

ST. LOUIS AV., 2823A—Nicely furnished room for light housekeeping; bath; private family.

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SIXTH ST., 11 N.—Good, comfortable rooms; 15c, 20c and 25c per night. (6)

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THOMAS ST., 2040—Nicely furnished room, in private family.

TWELFTH ST., 2071½ N.—Nicely furnished room; gas and bath; suitable for 2; also hall room.

TWELFTH ST., 1008 S.—Furnished front parlor, for gents; all conveniences.

TWELFTH ST., 2209 ½—Room, complete for housekeeping; running water, steam heat; phone Gray 1283. (3)

UNION BL., 1362—One nearly furnished room and kitchen; rent $10; bath, gas; private family. (5)

VERNON AV., 4720—Nice rooms for gentlemen; very reasonable.

VICTOR ST., 1105—3 or 5 rooms, $10; all conveniences. Apply 726 Franklin av.

WAGONER PL., 4629—Nicely furnished front room, first and second floor; all conveniences; reasonable. (4)

WALNUT ST., 2907—Furnished room for light housekeeping; use other rooms.

WALNUT ST., 2218—Large rooms suitable for housekeeping; bath; all conveniences; near depot; reasonable.

WASH ST., 2901—Large front room for 2 ladies, 2 gentlemen or for light housekeeping.

WASHINGTON AV., 1627—Front and back rooms for light housekeeping; $1 up.

WASHINGTON AV., 2717—Neatly furnished rooms; terms reasonable.

WASHINGTON AV., 3501—Well furnished rooms for housekeeping; also other rooms; reasonable.

WASHINGTON AV., 3215—Nicely furnished room for gentlemen or ladies employed; all conve.

WASHINGTON AV., 3128—Nicely furnished front and other rooms; southern exposure; hot bath. (3)

ROOMS FOR RENT—CITY.

14 Words, 10c.

WASHINGTON AV., 3413—Elegant room, in private family, for gents; electric lights, hot and cold bath, both phones; refs. required. (3)

WASHINGTON AV., 3836—Corner house; beautiful 2d-story front room, to gentlemen or couple; reasonable.

WASHINGTON AV., 2703—Neatly furnished rooms; all conveniences; $2.50 week up; suitable for 2. (3)

WASHINGTON AV., 3501—Elegantly furnished rooms, all conveniences; southern exposure; Kinloch D1272. (6)

WASHINGTON AV., 3140—New and elegantly furnished rooms; newly decorated and renovated, strictly first-class. (6)

WASHINGTON AV., 1637—Nice, large, clean furnished rooms, single and light housekeeping; also large furnished renewed attic room for four or six adults; hot and cold bath. (3)

WEST BELL PL., 4426—Nicely furnished rooms; all conveniences; $1.25 up.

WEST BELLE PL., 4137A—Nicely furnished rooms, neat and clean, hot and cold bath; all conva.

WEST BELLE PL., 4256—Nice clean rooms; hot bath; suitable for one or two; $3 week. (4)

WESTMINSTER PL., 4106—Finely furnished single and connecting rooms; fine bath; all up-to-date conveniences; low terms to refined people. (7)

WINDSOR ST., 3826—2 nicely furnished front connected rooms; also single room; light housekeeping.

PARK (HOTEL EPWORTH WAS)
6000 Washington bl., $1.50 a week up; meals 20c up; trunks hauled free; 36 private baths; steam heat; hot water, free baths; safe, new brick building; finest view of the city; banquets on short notice. C. H. EVANS & CO. (8)

For Colored People.

ROOMS—Splendid basement rooms; low rent. Inquire 1557 Gratiot. (4)

ROOMS WITH BOARD—CITY.

14 Words, 10c.

AUBERT AV., 747A—One large, one single room, furnished; new private home; breakfast.

AUBERT AV., 1244—Nicely furnished room, with board; for two; price $36; private family.

BARTOMER AV., 3923—Rooms; first-class board; references. (2)

BELL AV., 3382—Elegant large front room; good board; for two gentlemen or couple; reasonable.

BELL AV., 3128—Pleasant room with board; all conveniences; private family; $4.50; A1282.

BELL AV., 3216—Furnished rooms for gents; board if desired.

BOARD AND ROOM—Good board and clean rooms for men; $4 week; day board, $3 week; corner 22d and St. Charles; 1st floor; private.

CHANNING AV., 713 N.—Nicely furnished 2d-story front and other rooms, with board; all conveniences; terms moderate.

CLARK AV., 2720—Large front room for housekeeping; gas, hot bath, ice chest; southern exp.

COOK AV., 4204—2d-story front and others; good table; very reasonable; private home. (7)

COOK AV., 4516—Front rooms; southern exposure; board; private family; four car lines; fine location.

COOK AV., 4737—Handsomely furnished 2d-story room; good board; all conveniences; private family.

DELMAR BL., 4206—Single room, with board; very reasonable; Transit or Suburban cars. (4)

DELMAR BL., 3802—Desirable rooms; all conveniences; reasonable; board optional. (7)

DELMAR BL., 3915—

BUSINESS FOR SALE.
14 Words, 20c

BAKERY—For sale; in good location; on account of sickness. 1220 North Market.

BARBER SHOP—For sale, 3-chair barber shop; three payments; leaving city; cheap. 925 S. 14th st.

BUSINESSES of all kinds. Buyers, call immediately. J. R. TEMBERMAN & CO., 1227 Market st.

LUMINESS—Wanted, man with $250 to purchase interest in manufacturing business; quick; big profits. See EDWARDS BROKERAGE CO., 807 Chestnut st.

CIGAR STORE—For sale, near Union Station; best location; 5 years established; must sell by Saturday on account of sickness. Ad. G 65, Post-Dispatch.

CONFECTIONERY—SPLENDID FOR LADY. Elegant fixtures; fresh stock; low rent; good living rooms; price $150; easy terms; really worth double. MISSOURI REALTY CO., 110 N. 9th.

DRUG STORE—For sale; established stand; good location; good reason for selling. Ad. D 65, Post-Dispatch.

DRY GOODS—For sale, dry goods store, ladies' and gents' furnishings. 5106 Easton av.

GROCERY—For sale, grocery, southwestern part of city; will invoice. Ad. G 196, Post-Dis. (4)

GROCERY—For sale, small grocery and meat market; good trade; bargain. 4739 Easton av. (3)

GROCERY—For sale, first-class grocery and saloon, located in the center of city. Ad. G 37, Post-Dispatch. (4)

GROCERY—For sale or exchange for boarding or rooming house; cheap rent; with living rooms. Ad. G 26, Post-Dispatch. (4)

GROCERY—Cabanne; receipts $75 day; 2 horses and wagons; fresh stock; 5 living rooms; $3000; invoice more. MISSOURI REALTY, 110 N. 9th st.

GROCERY—For sale, nice little grocery; centrally located; stock all new and clean; price, $350; great bargain. D. MORGAN, 909 Chestnut st.

GROCERY—For sale, $2000 stock of staple and fancy groceries; live town; surrounded by good farming country. Particulars, D. Williams, Hillsboro, Ill. (8)

GROCERY, ETC.—For sale, old established downtown corner grocery and saloon; average $40 per day and up; all cash trade; money-maker; will sell it right; purchaser can remain in store several days; not afraid to let you investigate; answer quick; bargain. Ad. G 195, Post-Dis.

HOTEL, BAR, CAFE.
Very best location; 50 elegant rooms; hot and cold water; steam heat each room; only proposition of kind in city; splendid income; $500 cash, balance monthly; must close estate; investigation. MISSOURI REALTY CO., 110 N. 9th st.

LUNCH COUNTER—For sale; doing good business; owner has other business, reason for selling; cash. 110 N. 21st st. (4)

LUNCH COUNTER—For sale, swell little lunch counter; 25 stools; located downtown district; everything new and clean. D. MORGAN, 909 Chestnut st.

MINING, packing, shipping and express business; one large and one small wagon; 2 horses, double and single harness; price $500; bargain. J. R. TIMBERMAN & CO., 1227 Market st.

RESTAURANT—For sale; nice place; good trade; $100; good reasons for selling. Ad. G 86, P.-D.

RESTAURANT—For sale, monthly business $600; fine fixtures, seats 24; rent $15; price $250; object, larger place. 1441 Old Manchester. (8)

RESTAURANT, ETC.—For sale, restaurant, coffee house, oyster top counters, finest fixtures; sacrifice if sold at once. 919 Franklin.

RESTAURANT—For sale, good-paying restaurant; very cheap; sell out account of other business. 3336 Franklin av. (4)

RESTAURANT—For sale, restaurant, with 3 rooms, nice fixtures; doing good business; great bargain for cash; must leave city. 2466 S. Broadway.

RESTAURANT—For sale, restaurant; everything complete; clearing over $100 month; established 8 years; $300 cash takes it; other business cause selling. Ad. D 97, Post-Dispatch. (3)

ROOMING HOUSE—For sale, good location; 20 rooms; investigate this; cheap rent. 3214 Olive.

ROOMING HOUSE—2721 Lawton, 2d floor; 10 rooms; rent $35; water paid; $250; your terms.

ROOMING HOUSE—For sale, small rooming house, reasonable; good location; corner house. Call 4 S. 11th st. (4)

ROOMING HOUSE—8 rooms; finely furnished; rent $35; $275; small payment down. 2926 Lucas av.

ROOMING HOUSE—2022 Washington av.; elegant location; 12 rooms; rent $45; snap; $450; only $100 cash, balance easy, as you make it. (3)

ROOMING HOUSES—For sale, doing good business; reduced; must cheap if taken at once. 2105 Olive st.

ROOMING HOUSE—For sale, new oak furnished rooming house; including piano; $100. Kinloch P979.

ROOMING HOUSE, $50
Down, very small balance from profits; 5 rooms; low rent; splendidly furnished throughout; owner going to Portland. MISSOURI REALTY CO., 110 N. 9th.

SALOON—For sale; good corner on Chouteau av.; cheap; cash; owner in poor health. Ad. G 26, Post Dispatch.

SALOON, ETC.—For sale or exchange, saloon, hotel and pool room; owner actually retiring from business. Apply at 4141 N. Grand av. (8)

SALOON—For sale, saloon and boarding house, doing good business, at reasonable price; good reason for selling. 627 S. 6th st., East St. Louis. (7)

SALOON TAKEN UNDER MORTGAGE, $285, worth $1000; must have cash MORANCE; splendid Olive st. stand; lease $30; independent brewery; drink cause. VETTE, 10 N. 9th st.

STOCK—For sale, will sell cheap, stock, fixtures; great bargain. Store, 1209 Olive st.

STORE—For sale, good stock of dry goods; good location. N. E. corner 10th and Lami. (6)

STORE—For sale, small dry goods and notion store; cheap; no competition. 927 N. Newstead av.

STORE—For sale, cigar store, news, laundry branch, with two-chair barber shop; paying proposition. Ad. G 67, Post-Dispatch. (2)

STORE—For sale, good clean stock of hardware and stoves; in live Missouri town; will invoice about $2000. Ad. J 117, Post-Dispatch.

STORE—For sale, ladies' cloak and millinery store; comfortable locality; snap. 106 N. Jefferson av.

TAILOR SHOP—For sale, good trade; reasonable. Call 1110A Pendleton av.

TINSHOP—For sale; cheap; doing fair business. 10 N. 10th st.

BUSINESS WANTED.

BUSINESS Wtd.—Carpenter jobbing done of all kinds; screens a specialty. 808 Vine st.

BUSINESS Wtd.—Window screens made to order; also general repairing. J. McKerrall, 4228 Cote Brilliante. (3)

BUSINESS Wtd.—House painting, flooring, inside finishing; finest material and mechanical workmanship. Tel. Tyler 1810 Hickory st. (7)

A. H. LUSTER repairs all kinds of stoves and ranges. 1329 Wright st.; send postal.

CLEAN your wall paper, 20c package "Red E" paper cleaner cleans 2 rooms. Enterprise, 10th and Locust. Agents wanted everywhere. (5)

CLEAN your beds with "Red E" bedbug exterminator. At dealers or the Enterprise, 10th and Locust. 24 floor. Agents wanted. (5)

RESTAURANT Wtd.—Must be east of 12th; state price; will pay cash. Ad. G 73, Post-Dispatch.

WE'LL sell your business quickly and quietly; no matter where located; write, call or telephone Bl410. Missouri Realty Co., 110 N. 9th st. (55)

WE CAN SELL YOUR BUSINESS
No matter where it is located. This is the age of specialists. We are the only exclusive "Business Brokers" in the country. We have the buyers—Have you to offer them? We bring buyer and seller together and make quick sales. ROBT. M. KURICH & CO.
PITTSBURG BANK FOR SAVINGS BUILDING, PITTSBURG, PA. (6)

BUSINESS CHANCES.
14 Words, 20c

BUSINESS CHANCE—Some legal knowledge, $20, to clear $300 month and expenses; prospect increasing. 4469 Berlin av.

ATTENTION, corporations, good assets immediately supplied; stocks, bonds and commercial paper sold; entire western market. Address Martin W. Ferguson & Co., Cincinnati, Ohio. (8)

BARGAIN—Before commencing business see the Middleby Movable Brick Oven. Warercom at 2056 Pine st., St. Louis, Mo. (6)

SERVICES and $1000 invested in our stock secures reliable man $100 month position with commission (expenses paid); right man should make $500 month easily; only small amount stock offered; stand rigid investigation; experience unnecessary; incorporated company. Polk Dustproof Axle, 110 N. 9th st.

BUY AN ESTABLISHED BUSINESS
And secure for yourself a steady income—business in the old-fashioned, time-tried method of getting rich. Don't monkey with the "get-rich-quick" schemes. We are the only exclusive "business brokers" in the country, and can place you in an established, good-paying business, no matter where you wish to locate. Write today and let us know what you want.
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PITTSBURG BANK FOR SAVINGS BUILDING, PITTSBURG, PA. (6)

$1 PER CENT per month guaranteed; paid monthly; 7 per cents big. Particulars 406 Burlington bldg. (6)

SPECIAL NOTICES.
14 Words, 20c

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE OF COLLATERAL.

Whereas, On the 30th day of December, A. D., 1901, Evans Brothers Tobacco and Warehouse Co., a corporation, executed its certain promissory note to the National Bank of Commerce in St. Louis, whereby it promised, on demand, after date, to pay to the National Bank of Commerce in St. Louis, or order, at the banking house of said bank, at St. Louis, Mo., the sum of four thousand dollars ($4000), for value received, with interest at the rate of 8 per cent per annum from date; and

Whereas, on the 29th day of January, A. D., 1902, Evans Brothers Tobacco and Warehouse Co., a corporation, executed its certain promissory note to the National Bank of Commerce, in St. Louis, whereby it promised, on demand, after date, to pay to the banking house of said bank, at St. Louis, Mo., the sum of eight thousand dollars ($8000), for value received, with interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum from date; and

Whereas, on the 28th day of September, A. D. 1903, Evans Brothers Tobacco and Warehouse Co., a corporation, executed its certain promissory note to the National Bank of Commerce, in St. Louis, whereby it promised to pay, on demand, after date, to the National Bank of Commerce, in St. Louis, or order, at the banking house of said bank, at St. Louis, Mo., the sum of three thousand dollars ($3000), for value received, with interest at the rate of 8 per cent from date; and

Whereas, on the 2d day of October, A. D., 1903, Evans Brothers Tobacco and Warehouse Co., a corporation, executed its certain promissory note to the National Bank of Commerce in St. Louis, or order, at the banking house of said bank at St. Louis, Mo., the sum of two thousand dollars ($2000), for value received, with interest at the rate of 8 per cent per annum from date; and

Whereas, on the 7th day of October, A. D., 1903, Evans Brothers Tobacco and Warehouse Co., a corporation, executed its certain promissory note, whereby, on demand, after date, it promised to pay to the National Bank of Commerce in St. Louis, or order, at the banking house of said bank, at St. Louis, Mo., the sum of three thousand dollars ($3000), for value received, with interest at the rate of 8 per cent per annum from date; and

Whereas, on Oct. 26, 1903, Evans Bros. Tobacco and Warehouse Co., a corporation, executed its certain promissory note to the National Bank of Commerce in St. Louis, whereby it promised to pay, on demand after date, to the National Bank of Commerce, in St. Louis, or order, at the banking house of said bank, at St. Louis, Mo., the sum of two thousand dollars ($2000), for value received, with interest at the rate of 8 per cent per annum from date; and

Whereas, On Nov. 16, 1903, Evans Bros. Tobacco and Warehouse Co., a corporation, executed its certain promissory note to the National Bank of Commerce in St. Louis, whereby, on demand after date, it promised to pay to the National Bank of Commerce in St. Louis, or order, at the banking house of said bank, at St. Louis, Mo., the sum of fifteen hundred dollars ($1500), for value received, with interest at the rate of 8 per cent per annum from date; and

Whereas, To secure the payment of all said notes said Evans Bros. Tobacco and Warehouse Co., a corporation, pledged to said bank the following warehouse receipts, to-wit:

One receipt, dated Nov. 16, 1903, calling for 20 hogsheads of scrap tobacco and marked O K and weighing 20,000 pounds.

One receipt, dated Oct. 2, 1903, calling for 10 hogsheads of tobacco, scrap, weighing 10,000 pounds, and 4 hogsheads of tobacco, wrappers, and weighing 4150 pounds.

One receipt, dated April 20, 1903, calling for 10 hogsheads of tobacco wrappers, weighing 10,226 pounds.

One receipt, dated April 22, 1903, calling for 7 hogsheads of tobacco wrappers, and weighing 5186 pounds.

One receipt, dated April 20, 1903, calling for 8 hogsheads of tobacco wrappers, and weighing 3332 pounds.

One receipt, dated April 20, 1903, calling for 19 hogsheads of tobacco wrappers, and weighing 20,112 pounds.

One receipt, dated April 20, 1903, calling for 47 hogsheads of tobacco wrappers, and weighing 47,779 pounds, all of which said warehouse receipts were issued by Evans Bros. Tobacco and Warehouse Co., and by it indorsed and delivered in pledge as above stated to the National Bank of Commerce in St. Louis, and covering tobacco now in storage with it.

Whereas, By said contracts of pledge it is provided, to-wit:

"In default of payment of said notes, or other of said liabilities, at maturity, or in default of our giving such additional security, when notified, or in case of our suspension, failure or insolvency or the commission of any act of insolvency on our part * * * and upon such default being made, we do hereby authorize said bank, its officers or the holder of said liability to sell, or cause to be sold, any or all of said collaterals or any substitutes therefor at public or private sale at the Merchants' Exchange in St. Louis or elsewhere, at the option of the holder, with or without notice to us or the public, and to apply the proceeds first to the payment of the expenses incurred by said sale, next to the discharge of our liabilities as hereinbefore set out."

And, whereas, No part of said notes, or any one of said notes, has been paid nor the full amount thereof, both principal and interest from the 28th day of February, 1905, is now due and remains unpaid.

Now, therefore, in pursuance to the power aforesaid and by virtue of authority as pledgee of said above described collateral, the undersigned will, on Thursday, the 27th day of April, A. D. 1905, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, of that day, at the east front door of the Courthouse, in the City of St. Louis, Mo., sell the above described collateral at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash for the purpose of paying said notes, interest and costs.

THE NATIONAL BANK OF COMMERCE IN ST. LOUIS.
By W. B. COWEN. (8)

BROTHERHOOD OF STATIONARY ENGINEERS
Mr. Harry Y. Haden, engineer for the "De Laval Steam Turbine" will deliver a lecture to the Brotherhood on Wednesday evening, April 19, 1905. Subject, "The De Laval Steam Turbine, Its Principles and Application." The brotherhood has secured a hall at the West End Hotel, Vandeventer avenue and West Belle place, for this occasion. Members may invite their manager, superintendent or an engineer friend if they are interested in this Turbine.
WM. L. MAPEL, Recording Secretary.

ATTENTION, BARBERS—A mass meeting of the boss barbers, under the auspices of the Boss Barbers' Protective Association of Missouri, will be held Thursday, April 20, at 9:30 p. m., at Druids' Hall, 9th and Market sts., for the purpose of discussing the question of Sunday closing. All boss barbers are invited to be present.
CHAS. STOETZER, Secy.

SEWING MACHINES.
14 Words, 20c

BUY the light-running New Home direct at city office, 1208 Franklin. Bell Main 2778, Kin. D972. (6)

GREAT bargains this week; new drophead sewing machines, only $14.50 up; guaranteed. New York Sewing Machine Co., 1210 Franklin. Bell Main 2778. Kin. D972. (6)

SEWING MACHINES—For sale, high-arm machines, $2 and up; rent 50c week; repairing, reasonable. 2832 Easton.

SEWING MACHINES—For sale, 50 good high-arm machines of all makes; $2 up; guaranteed. New York Sewing Machine Co., 1210 Franklin. Bell Main 2778. Kin. D972. (6)

WE REPAIR any sewing machine for $1; guarantee 2 years. New Home Sewing Machine, city office, 1208 Franklin. Bell Main 2778, Kin. D972. (6)

STEAM CARPET CLEANING.

AMERICAN Steam Carpet Cleaning Co.—Carpets cleaned and renovated; made over and laid; lowest prices. Phone Beaumont 946, D70. 19th and Pine sts. (5)

CHICAGO Steam Carpet Cleaning Co.—Carpets renovated to look like new; also upholstering. Tel. Lin. 2030; Kin. Del. 2431. 3829 Finney. (8)

EMPIRE Steam Carpet Cleaning Co.; carpets taken up, cleaned, made over and laid; lowest prices. 2123 Lucas av.; Beaumont 220, Kinloch C960.

ENTERPRISE Steam Carpet Cleaning Co.—Special attention to altering, sewing and relaying. Easton and Pendleton. Lindell 3744; Kinloch Delmar 700. (36)

ST. LOUIS Steam Carpet Cleaning Co., 4079 Easton av.; phones Forest 269; Delmar 174. (6)

COMPRESSED AIR CLEANING

Carpets and everything cleaned at your own home without removal, or at our plant. Best and quickest service in the city. Postal or postbox. Telephone us and our agent will call and give estimate. Both phones. General Compressed Air House Cleaning Co., 3083 Olive st. (8)

ANIMALS.

BULL—For sale, Holstein bull. 5427 St. Louis av. (4)

COW—For sale, Jersey cow, with calf. 4216A North Market st.

PUP—For sale, full-blooded English male fox terrier pup at a bargain. Ad. G 75, Post-Dis.

PUP—For sale, female setter pup; good home more than price. 911 N. Garrison av.

RESPONSIBLE people will care for a cow for her milk; fine pasture. 5701 Theodosia av.

SQUIRRELS—Gray pet squirrels, 8 weeks old, perfect pets, $1.50 each. H. Spannhorst, Washington, Mo.

BICYCLES.
14 Words, 20c

BICYCLE—For sale, lady's bicycle in good order; will sell very cheap. 1459 North Market.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS WANTED.
14 Words, 20c

ABSOLUTELY best prices paid for household goods. Dickson, 2944 Washington av.; phone B1360. (8)

ALL SELL your feathers to The Feather Pillow Co., 1107 S. Jefferson av.; send postal. (5)

ALL kinds of household goods bought. Jones & Co., 1143 Olive; C742; Beaumont 128. (8)

ALL kinds of household goods; highest prices; postal, Bensinger, 736 Walton. 1702 Franklin av. Phone B1841. (14)

ALL kinds of furniture, carpets, stoves; highest prices; send postal. Bensinger, 2100 Franklin av. Kinloch telephone 2158C. (14)

FEATHER BEDS Wtd.—Old feather beds; pay up to $17; send postal. S. Batavia, 13 N. 9th. (5)

FURNITURE Wtd.—We buy furniture, carpets and feathers; send postal or phone C36. Lasky, 812 High st.

FURNITURE Wtd.—To buy household goods in any quantity; will send man to give estimate. Phones D221 and Beaumont 399. Western Salvage Co., 2004 Morgan st. (8)

WANTED—We pay highest prices for household furniture, stock in stores; also entire contents of flats and residences; don't sell until you see us, send postal. Leonort Auction Co., 1219 Olive st. (8)

HOUSEHOLD GOODS FOR SALE.
14 Words, 20c.

BEDROOM SET, ETC.—For sale, bedroom set, $8; wardrobe, dresser, sideboard iron folding bed, davenport, range; cheap.

DRESSER—For sale, handsome oak Princess dresser, cheap. 3853 Windsor.

FURNITURE—For sale; for light housekeeping. 1646 Menard, in rear.

FURNITURE—For sale, bedroom set, complete; sideboard, heating stove. 3849 Windsor.

FURNITURE—For sale, antique rosewood set. 3968 Washington bl.

FURNITURE—For sale, gas range and iron folding bed. 3215 Washington.

FURNITURE—For sale, iron bed, gas range, buffet, carpet, tables, chair; must sell today; cheap. 4139A Vernon av.

FURNITURE—For sale, 8 handsome oak bedroom sets; almost new; also handsome gas fixtures. 4233 Morgan st.

FURNITURE—For sale, 2 iron folding cots, 3 iron beds, complete; dresser, chairs, etc. Call at 3201 Eads av.

FURNITURE—For sale, mahogany chiffonier, brass bed, dresser, wardrobe, bookcase, rugs; other furniture. 3200A Olive st.

FURNITURE—For sale, 1 bedroom set, coal range, 1 bed, 3 cots, brandnew; will sell cheap; leaving city. 3065 Easton av.

FURNITURE—For sale, carload of misfit carpets, rugs, linoleums and furniture left for storage; will sell at any price. 1406 Franklin. (5)

FURNITURE—For sale, 1 upright folding bed, $7; also other furniture, cheap. 1011 N. Compton av.

FURNITURE, ETC.—For sale, furniture, kitchen utensils, towels, napkins, spreads, pillows, blankets; nearly new; cheap. 2016 East Grand av. (4)

FURNITURE—For sale, bookcase, gas and coal ranges, Vulkee heater, iron folding and open beds, iron davenports, rugs, toilet sets. 3968 West Belle pl.

FURNITURE—For sale, cabinet divan, 2 tables, 5 chairs, all Verna-Martin gold leaf, cost $700, will sell for $350; also piano and Angelus; call Friday after noon. 3849 Morgan.

FURNITURE—For sale, complete dining room, kitchen and laundry outfit, steel couch and pad, felt mattress, 18 yards velvet hall carpet; all or part; rent of flat, $22.50. 1154 Bayard av. (4)

FURNITURE, ETC.—For sale, piano, dressers, washstands, tables, chairs, carpets, hall lamp, hatrack, tea box, beds, complete cots, blankets, spreads, comforts, sheets, rugs, matting, lace curtains, shades, dishes, etc. 3864 Delmar bl. (3)

FURNITURE—For sale, cheap, household goods; sewing machine, bed, couch and coal range, dining room chairs, table, go-cart, roll top desk and various other articles; call soon. 4814 Labadie av.

FURNITURE—For sale, 6-hole H. C. range, gas range, Wilson heater, sideboard, dresser, Axminster rug, small rugs, rocker, chairs, dining chairs and table; portieres; can get rooms; call afternoon and evening. 4387A Gibson av.

GAS RANGE—For sale, old gas range, in good order. 1427 Chouteau av.

GAS RANGE—For sale, gas range, new; will sell cheap; leaving city. 2741A Humble st.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS—For sale, complete furnishings of 2-room flat. 2836 Hebert st. (4)

HOUSEHOLD GOODS—For sale, one double iron bed, mattress and springs, $2.50; cots 35c each. 6168A Etzel.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS—For sale, parlor set, Home Comfort range and some other household furniture. 2945 Gamble st.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS—For sale, rugs, stair and hall carpets, lace curtains; very reasonable; no dealers. 2805 Victor st. (3)

HOUSEHOLD GOODS—For sale, iron bed, spring and mattress, full size, $2.90; oak dresser, $4.75; refrigerators, gasoline stoves and oilcloth; lowest price. 823 Franklin av. (5)

HOUSEHOLD GOODS—For sale, nice furniture, stoves, dishes, beds, curtains; everything in house at sacrifice, Wednesday and Thursday. 2737 Lucas.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS—Will sell the entire contents of my newly and handsomely furnished private residence—beautiful new velvet, axminster and Brussels rugs (floor sizes), fine brass beds, best mattresses, handsome odd parlor chairs, rockers, couch and library tables, leather couch, bookcases, china closet, complete dining set, odd dressers, chiffoniers in mahogany and oak, lace curtains, other fine furniture; will sell separate; people who are wanting fine new furnishings at a great bargain ought not miss this opportunity; will sell my new upright piano at a sacrifice. 3015 Laclede av. (5)

RANGE—For sale, Quick Meal gas range at a bargain. 4041 Cottage av.

RANGE—For sale, gas range, with hot-water attachment; very reasonable. 6010 Bartmer av.

RANGE—For sale, Quick Meal gas range. 2940 Park av.

RANGE—For sale, 4-hole Majestic range; good as new; $10. Ad. F 26, Post-Dispatch. (6)

RANGE—For sale, 6-hole Majestic range, with water connections; good condition; $15. Ad. F 24, Post-Dispatch. (6)

RANGE—For sale, $55 steel range, with hot-water attachment; used 2 months, for $25. 3165 Mersanee av. Phone, Victor 1305.

RUGS, ETC.—For sale, Ingrain rugs, tables, kitchen cabinet, iron beds, go-cart, gas fixtures, lot household goods. 4212A Lucky st.

BELOW COST

We deal exclusively in salvage stocks of furniture, carpets, rugs, etc., from bankrupts, fires and first-class hotels and by buying complete stocks for spot cash can sell at a fair profit at one-half usual prices. Your money refunded on any article proving unsatisfactory, and all goods delivered free.

Dining chairs, carved back, worth $1.50	$ 60
Chiffoniers, swell front, quartered oak	9 25
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FURNITURE—For sale; for light housekeeping. 1646 Menard, in rear.

FURNITURE—For sale, bedroom set, complete; sideboard, heating stove. 3849 Windsor.

FURNITURE—For sale, antique rosewood set. 3968 Washington bl.

FURNITURE—For sale, gas range and iron folding bed. 3215 Washington.

FURNITURE—For sale, iron bed, gas range, buffet, carpet, tables, chair; must sell today; cheap. 4139A Vernon av.

FURNITURE—For sale, 8 handsome oak bedroom sets; almost new; also handsome gas fixtures. 4233 Morgan st.

FURNITURE—For sale, 2 iron folding cots, 3 iron beds, complete; dresser, chairs, etc. Call at 3201 Eads av.

FURNITURE—For sale, mahogany chiffonier, brass bed, dresser, wardrobe, bookcase, rugs; other furniture. 3200A Olive st.

FURNITURE—For sale, 1 bedroom set, coal range, 1 bed, 3 cots, brandnew; will sell cheap; leaving city. 3065 Easton av.

FURNITURE—For sale, carload of misfit carpets, rugs, linoleums and furniture left for storage; will sell at any price. 1406 Franklin. (5)

FURNITURE—For sale, 1 upright folding bed, $7; also other furniture, cheap. 1011 N. Compton av.

FURNITURE, ETC.—For sale, furniture, kitchen utensils, towels, napkins, spreads, pillows, blankets; nearly new; cheap. 2016 East Grand av. (4)

FURNITURE—For sale, bookcase, gas and coal ranges, Vulkee heater, iron folding and open beds, iron davenports, rugs, toilet sets. 3968 West Belle pl.

FURNITURE—For sale, cabinet divan, 2 tables, 5 chairs, all Verna-Martin gold leaf, cost $700, will sell for $350; also piano and Angelus; call Friday after noon. 3849 Morgan.

FURNITURE—For sale, complete dining room, kitchen and laundry outfit, steel couch and pad, felt mattress, 18 yards velvet hall carpet; all or part; rent of flat, $22.50. 1154 Bayard av. (4)

FURNITURE, ETC.—For sale, piano, dressers, washstands, tables, chairs, carpets, hall lamp, hatrack, tea box, beds, complete cots, blankets, spreads, comforts, sheets, rugs, matting, lace curtains, shades, dishes, etc. 3864 Delmar bl. (3)

FURNITURE—For sale, cheap, household goods; sewing machine, bed, couch and coal range, dining room chairs, table, go-cart, roll top desk and various other articles; call soon. 4814 Labadie av.

FURNITURE—For sale, 6-hole H. C. range, gas range, Wilson heater, sideboard, dresser, Axminster rug, small rugs, rocker, chairs, dining chairs and table; portieres; can get rooms; call afternoon and evening. 4387A Gibson av.

GAS RANGE—For sale, old gas range, in good order. 1427 Chouteau av.

GAS RANGE—For sale, gas range, new; will sell cheap; leaving city. 2741A Humble st.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS—For sale, complete furnishings of 2-room flat. 2836 Hebert st. (4)

HOUSEHOLD GOODS—For sale, one double iron bed, mattress and springs, $2.50; cots 35c each. 6168A Etzel.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS—For sale, parlor set, Home Comfort range and some other household furniture. 2945 Gamble st.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS—For sale, rugs, stair and hall carpets, lace curtains; very reasonable; no dealers. 2805 Victor st. (3)

HOUSEHOLD GOODS—For sale, iron bed, spring and mattress, full size, $2.90; oak dresser, $4.75; refrigerators, gasoline stoves and oilcloth; lowest price. 823 Franklin av. (5)

HOUSEHOLD GOODS—For sale, nice furniture, stoves, dishes, beds, curtains; everything in house at sacrifice, Wednesday and Thursday. 2737 Lucas.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS—Will sell the entire contents of my newly and handsomely furnished private residence—beautiful new velvet, axminster and Brussels rugs (floor sizes), fine brass beds, best mattresses, handsome odd parlor chairs, rockers, couch and library tables, leather couch, bookcases, china closet, complete dining set, odd dressers, chiffoniers in mahogany and oak, lace curtains, other fine furniture; will sell separate; people who are wanting fine new furnishings at a great bargain ought not miss this opportunity; will sell my new upright piano at a sacrifice. 3015 Laclede av. (5)

RANGE—For sale, Quick Meal gas range at a bargain. 4041 Cottage av.

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RUGS, ETC.—For sale, Ingrain rugs, tables, kitchen cabinet, iron beds, go-cart, gas fixtures, lot household goods. 4212A Lucky st.

BELOW COST

We deal exclusively in salvage stocks of furniture, carpets, rugs, etc., from bankrupts, fires and first-class hotels and by buying complete stocks for spot cash can sell at a fair profit at one-half usual prices. Your money refunded on any article proving unsatisfactory, and all goods delivered free.

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Business Announcements, 25c a line.

PERSONAL—H. B.: I missed you Saturday evening; write to me. O. H.

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PERSONAL—Jim: Come home. Dollie, St. Louis, Mo.

PERSONAL—Olga F.: In city; if agreeable send address. Edw. R. Ad. G 74, Post-Dispatch.

PERSONAL—Al: Yes, am still living here; send letter to me care general delivery. Margaret S.

PERSONAL—Divorces quickly secured by reliable attorney; easy terms; confidential. 714 Chestnut st., 2d floor.

PERSONAL—Reward offered for the address of Dr. Samuel Grant Miller, formerly resident of this city; have information which will be of interest to him. Ad. B 20, Post-Dispatch. (4)

PERSONAL—Mrs. Katie Moore and daughter, Miss Edna Moore of 3763 Finney av., left Tuesday morning for Portland, Ore., where they will spend the summer and visit the Portland Fair; their many friends were sorry to see them go, but will sincerely hope they will return to St. Louis at the close of the Portland Fair.

ADDRESS Wtd.—The address of Mrs. Whittle; was waitress at Union Dairy Co. during the Fair. Ad. H 13, Post-Dispatch.

DETECTIVE (expert) does shadowing and investigating; absolute secrecy; best references. P. O. Box 836, St. Louis. (8)

EXPERT lady detective takes cases; no pay unless successful; references. P. O. Box 975. (4)

HAIR, WARTS, MOLES, removed from face at your own home. H. Winfield, Gen. Del., P. O.

PERSONAL SUNDRIES.
14 Words, 30c.

DETECTIVE—Private; from the regular force Scotland; holds highest credentials; is now open for business. J. C. W., 1026 Chemical bldg. (4)

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Medical and surgical diseases of women a specialty. Regular licensed home.
Patients received at any time before and during confinement; adoption if desired; trained nurses, house comforts; ladies, call or write; confidential; terms reasonable. St. Louis. (8)

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Whole City Block

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ONLY ENTIRE CITY BLOCK LEFT IN THIS DISTRICT

8776 Front Feet

Between Rodiamont and Hamilton and Plymouth and Julian.

We can sell to speculators or builders on small cash payment, so that a very little cash money will handle this property, and large profits can be made. The demand for lots is growing daily, and this block is ripe for subdivision NOW. The lot is covered with forest trees and is located on Page, Olive and Suburban car lines, offering exceptional advantages to buyers.

We can make a loan on the property for ⅔ of its value, with release clause in deed of trust; also building loans to builders.

The property is unrestricted.

This is the best proposition for a subdivision on the market, for it can be closed out within a short time.

HOLBROOK-BLACKWELDER REAL ESTATE TRUST CO., 812 Olive St.

HOUSE—For sale, 7-room frame, Labadie av., paved street; lot 25x167½; $200 down; monthly payments. HOME REALTY CO., 617 Wainwright bldg.

LOT—For sale, cheap; lot 32½ or 65x165 feet, through to Congress st., adjoining 2007 Lynch st.; all improvements made; A1 business location or flats. A. W. Locke, 2006 Lynch st. (83)

FARMS FOR SALE

14 Words, 20c.

FARM—For sale, 70-acre farm, Jefferson County, Mo., 1¼ miles from Rush Tower Station; two new frame houses; 10 acres of bottom land; nearly all in cultivation; half mile from church and school; price $2800. W. F. CHEW, 603 Frisco bldg.

FARMS—For sale, improved Missouri farms; 80 acres $550; 67 acres, $1000; 60 acres, $850; 40 acres, $400; terms. Frisco Immigration Agent, 4257 Evans av. (3)

PROPERTY OUT OF CITY FOR SALE.

14 Words, 20c.

PROPERTY—St. Louis County, from 1 to 200 acres. B. C. Stevens, Clayton, Mo. (3)

REAL ESTATE WANTED.

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FLAT Wtd.—To buy 7 or 8 room single flat; well built; west of Grand, north of Laclede, south of Page; $5000 to $6000. Ad. G 40, Post-Dis.

HOUSE Wtd.—To buy 7 or 8 room dwelling, west of Channing, north of Laclede, south of Page; all improvements; $4000 to $5000. Ad. G 41, Post-Dispatch.

FLATS Wtd.—Double flat, with 3 or 5 rooms each, or single flat with store below, between Franklin and Walnut and Garrison and 12th, from $3000 to $5000; willing to pay half cash, balance $40 per month. Ad. E 24, Post-Dis.

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$42,500 WILL BUY FIVE OLIVE ST. HOUSES

No. 3431 to 3439 Olive St.

Just east of Theresa av.; a non-resident instructs us to sell this choice property at once; lot 108x100.5, through to Locust st., whereon it fronts 104 feet; property yields good rental and has a splendid future; the price is right. WEBER & GERHART CO., 104 N. 8th st.

NICE LITTLE HOME.

4648 McCaffery pl., 4-room brick cottage; hall, gas; bath, etc.; lot 25x120; only $1700; $300 cash and $20 per month. FARRINGTON & CO., 106 N. 9th st.(3)

EASTON AV. BARGAIN.

5310 and 5312; 2 stores and flats; clear; 50x225. Apply to owner.

DON'T BUY REAL ESTATE

Before seeing our splendid new list of residences, flats and investments.

BRADLEY & QUINETTE, 715 Chestnut st. (8)

HOUSE—For sale, 1437 N. 19th st., 7-room brick; hall, gas, etc.; lot 27x120, with stable; a bargain; easy terms. FARRINGTON & CO., 106 N. 9th st.(3)

HOUSE—Six-room brick, near King's highway and Natural Bridge rd.; bath and reception hall; just finished; lot 30½x100; $2500; $200 down $20 a month; German neighborhood. HOME REALTY CO., 617 Wainwright bldg.

HOUSES—For sale; $7500 and 5 per cent interest buys 3 new 10-room houses; latest improvements throughout; 5000 west; must be sold this week; together or separately. Ad. D 90, Post-Dispatch. (17)

HOUSE—5371 Garfield, 7-room brick, reception hall, partitioned; would make flats; upper floor rented; price $3100; $500 down; monthly payments. HOME REALTY CO., 617 Wainwright bldg.

HOUSE—For sale, West End; cheap to quick buyer; 6 rooms, bath, hall, laundry, attic, gas, hot and cold water. Apply 1370 Bell av.

COTTAGE—For sale, 3658 Theodosia av., nice 4-room cottage; city water, sewer connections, large lot; part cash; $1300. Ask for Russell, Wells av. and Suburban tracks.

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NEAR SHAW'S GARDEN
VERY FINE FLATS
SOLD 3 IN PAST FEW DAYS
PRICE $5150.
A SWELL HOME
AND GOOD INVESTMENT.

4130, 4163, 4167, 4175 Russell av.; new brick dwellings of 2 flats, 5 and 6 rooms, with all new and novel conveniences, including furnace for each family; the rooms are located unlike other dining room, adjoining hall and parlor, being a residence perfection; bedrooms on side and rear; every room well lighted; they are surely cheap; were contracted for last fall with a lot of 28, today would cost $5000 to build without the lot, which are 28 and 29 feet.

AIPLE & HEMMELMANN R. E. CO., 622 Chestnut st.

5594 BARTMER AV.

Eight-room house, frame; splendid condition; lot 50x157; $1000 cash, remainder on terms to suit.

HOLBROOK-BLACKWELDER REAL ESTATE TRUST CO., 812 Olive St.

NEW FLATS.
$4900

Buys a new flat of 5 and 6 rooms, with bath, separate furnaces, laundries, granitoid cellar, gas fixtures, screens and lot 25x143; at 2117 and 2143 Adelaide av.; terms to suit.

McCORMICK-KILGEN-RULE, 201 N. 9th st. (77)

PAYS 7% NET.

BUSINESS CORNER, Near Wash'ington Av.

This property is rapidly growing in value.

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AN EXCEPTIONALLY SWELL FLAT FOR $7100.

6 and 7 Rooms—Grandest Location in City.

Opposite Grand av. entrance to Tower Grove Park; No. 3538 Pestmozzi st., southeast corner Arkansas av.; rock-front 6 and 7 rooms, all conveniences and furnace to each flat. The construction is the very best money can produce and the location without doubt the finest in city; owner on first floor will show you through.

AIPLE & HEMMELMANN R. E. CO., 622 Chestnut st.

SNAP!

DOWNTOWN BUSINESS PROPERTY.

No. 513 Walnut St.

Lot 25x72, improved with 3-story building. Pays a net rental of 7 2-3 per cent on $15,000, for which price it can be bought.

Don't fail to look into this.

HOLBROOK-BLACKWELDER REAL ESTATE TRUST CO., 812 Olive St.

TWO FLATS, 4 ROOMS EACH, BEAUTIFUL LOCATION, $3750.

4639 Gibson is a very nice structure; large rooms and a pretty locality; asphalt street; granitoid sidewalk and side street made; no more street tax and all paid; take Market st. or Choteau av. cars to Tower Grove av., one block south to Gibson and a little east to house. Call for card of admission.

AIPLE & HEMMELMANN R. E. CO., 622 Chestnut st.

DO YOU WANT FLATS?

If so, size up 4131 and 4133 Russell av., and if you wish to look through call on me for card of admission; it is a fine 6 and 7 room double flat, separate steam heaters; lot 50x125; rents $1380; price reduced from $12,000 to $10,750.

STEWART, 1002 Chestnut st.

SINGLE FLAT-SNAP.

1427 Clara av., a well-built 4 and 5 room modern flat, which has all improvements and is in fine condition; will sell for $4750, on terms of $750 cash and balance time; will take some monthly payments; lot 28x125; see this bargain.

HAUER & BARTH REALTY CO., 808 Chestnut. (4)

15th, Near Market—$180 Per Foot, With Good Building Thrown In.

Fine location for factory or warehouse; lot 83x150 through to Johnson st.; present improvements pay over 8 per cent net.

GRIFFIN REAL ESTATE CO., 1111 Chestnut.

FARMS WANTED

14 words, 20c.

PEACH ORCHARD Wtd.—To buy peach orchard; near Palestine, Tex.; state full particulars. Ad. H 125, Post-Dispatch.

LIGHT INQUIRY FOR LOCAL STOCKS

Sales Are Small and Trading Largely Confined to the Brokerage Element.

PRICES GENERALLY LOWER

Tractions, Trust Stocks and Miscellaneous Issues All Record Small Losses.

Trading was quieter than in weeks past at the session of the local stock exchange today and prices generally were lower.

United Railways preferred lost ⅝ of a point at $81.37½, and an odd lot was taken at $81. United Railways common also lost ⅝ at $30.12½, but United Railways 4s were steady at $89.87½.

In the bank and trust list, National Bank of Commerce lost 2 points at $340 and Mechanics' National Bank lost ½ point at $296.50. Commonwealth Trust was unchanged at $330.

In the miscellaneous list Central Coal and Coke at $69.50 and Consolidated Coal at $31.50 and $31.75 were the active features.

FULL SESSION—CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

	Bid.	Asked.
United Railways pfd	$ 81 00	$ 81 50
do common	30 25	30 50
do 4s	89 62½	89 75
Brown Bros. subscriptions	15 50	
American Exchange Bank	360 00	380 00
Fourth National Bank		344 00
Mechanics' Bank	296 50	297 00
National Bank of Commerce	339 00	
Third National Bank		333 00
Missouri-Lincoln Trust	145 50	
Mercantile Trust		400 00
Commonwealth Trust	330 00	340 00
Mississippi Valley Trust	305 00	
St. Louis Union Trust	380 00	385 00
Title Guaranty Trust	60 00	
National Candy com.		10 50
do 1st preferred	98 00	99 00
Central Coal and Coke com	69 50	69 75
do preferred	90 00	90 00
Simmons Hdw. Co., 2d pfd		126 00
Broadway 5s		102 00
East St. Louis & Suburban 5s		106 25
Merchants' Terminal 5s	154 00	
Merchants' Bridge 6s	113 00	
Brewing Association 6s	100 00	101 25
Consolidated Coal	31 75	32 00
Catering preferred		57 50
do common		6 50
Cotton Compress	63 50	65 00
Kinsey City Tel. 5s	96 00	98 50

SALES.

United Railways common, 29 at $30.12½ and 100 at $30.25.

United Railways preferred, 15 at $81.37½ and 3 at $81.

United Railways 4s, $1000 at $89.87½.

Missouri-Lincoln Trust, 2 at $146.

Commonwealth Trust, 25 at $330.

National Bank of Commerce, 50 at $340.

Mechanics' National Bank, 10 at $296.50.

Central Coal and Coke, 125 at $69.50.

Consolidated Coal, 10 at $31.50 and 10 at $31.75.

Brewery Association 6s, $1000 at $101.

Kansas City Home Telephone 5s, $1000 at $98.25.

Local Clearings.

	Clearings.	Balances.
Today	$16,134,463	$880,768
Last week	11,302,416	820,353
Clearings decreased $569,953; balances increased $36,043.		

LIVERPOOL, April 19.—Spot wheat quiet; No. 1 California, 6s 9d; futures quiet; May, 6s 7¼d; July, 6s 7¾d; Aug., 6s 7d. Corn—Spot quiet; American mixed, new, 4s 2¾d; American mixed, old, 4s 10½d; futures quiet; May, 4s 3¾d; July, 4s 3½d.

REAL ESTATE FOR EXCHANGE.

14 words, 20c.

PROPERTY Wtd.—For sale or exchange, beautiful 90-acre fruit farm, well improved, located in Missouri; will trade for good business corner in St. Louis; no agents. Ad. G 120, P.-D. (3)

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MME. REYNOLDS, clairvoyant, palmist, gives advice, business and love; satisfaction guaranteed. $20 N. 22d st. (4)

MRS. CUNNINGHAM, clairvoyant and card reading; full reading, 25c. 2218 Carr st. (5)

POLICE PERMITTED DICE GAME PLAYING?

Special Officers Behan and Wiese Accused by Private Detectives of United Railways.

Affidavits sworn to by Private Detectives Brigham and Curry, in the employ of the United Railways Co., charging Special Officers Joseph Behan and Fred Wiese of the Fifth police district with witnessing and permitting the playing of a game of dice in Jack Sunday's saloon, Ninth and Salisbury streets, last Wednesday night, have been filed with Chief of Police Kiely and will be submitted to the police board at its meeting next Friday.

This action is an incidental result of the United Railways Co.'s employment of private detectives to "spot" such of its employes as might be violating General Manager McCulloch's recent order forbidding motormen or conductors to frequent saloons or indulge in gambling of any description. Brigham and Curry reported to General Manager McCulloch last week that they had found 81 motormen and conductors and the night foreman of the north side division of the United Railways system in the saloon of Jack Sunday, about half a block from the north side car sheds, engaged in a dice game. The employes named in the report were promptly discharged, but two of the motormen have since been reinstated.

The report, charged to mention that the two Fifth district special officers named had entered the saloon during the progress of the game, drank two rounds of beer and then remained watching the game without taking action to stop it. The affidavits were the result.

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EARLY WEAKNESS IS FOLLOWED BY STRENGTH

Drive Against Values Brings Into the Market Heavy Buying Orders and a Rally Follows That Closes Prices Slightly Higher.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, April 19.—Stocks opened active and irregular on Wall street this morning, with gains and losses equally distributed throughout the list. Sentiment is mixed and the tone of the trading feverish.

London sent over a higher range of values on American issues, supposedly caused by short covering from this side. Sentiment remains mixed in the foreign markets. The possibility that other nations may be drawn into the war in the Far East and the selling by Paris houses have had a decidedly depressing effect.

Much of the late selling in Union Pacific yesterday was caused by official denials that a consolidation of the Union Pacific, the Northwestern and the New York Central is contemplated.

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Union Pacific was again the center of a heavy selling movement in the second hour under the influence of the raising of the question in important quarters as to the right of the Union Pacific to hold the Northern Pacific and Great Northern stock. The Hill faction declares that the Union Pacific has no such right, owing to the roads being parallel and competing lines. But the Harriman interests contend that the illegality of one road holding the stock of another which parallels it applies only to a majority of the capital, which would give the holding road absolute control. The trading element were also active on the selling side of Union Pacific, owing to the belief that these contentions between the Hill and Harriman interests indicated that further trouble regarding the holding of the stock to be distributed by the Northern Securities Co. may arise.

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The labor troubles among the miners of the iron ranges of Minnesota and other northwestern sections was also a depressing influence and should not be overlooked, as in well-posted sources further trouble from this source is looked for.

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Under the plan of distribution adopted by the Northern Securities on March 22, and approved by the stockholders on April 21, 1904, and which is now in effect by reason of the recent decision of the United States Supreme Court, the capital stock of the Northern Securities Co., $395,400,000, is reduced to $3,954,000, divided into 39,540 shares of $100 each. This reduction of capital stock is to be accompanied by each holder of outstanding shares of the company's stock surrendering to the company for retirement 99 per cent of the shares held by him. Upon this surrender, the Securities company is to assign in return for each share so surrendered $28.27 of the stock of the Northern Pacific Railway Co. and $30.17 of the preferred stock of the Great Northern Railway Co.

Ultimately the reduced capital stock of $3,954,000 will also be distributed and the Northern Securities Co. go out of existence.

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The past rise in Canadian Pacific is generally attributed to the belief that the directors will shortly authorize the issuance of the balance of the $25,000,000 treasury stock held by the company, which amounts to $9,000,000. There will no doubt be valuable rights given to the stockholders under the new issue.

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The trading became cautious on the late recovery for a time, but prices rose more confidently later and reached the highest. Net gains became general and reached, for Locomotive and Sloss-Sheffield Steel, 2; New York, New Haven & Hartford 1½, Woolen 1⅝ and Louisville & Nashville, Atlantic Coast Line, Delaware & Hudson and Amalgamated Copper a point. The market showed some hesitation again at noon. Bonds were heavy at noon.

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Prices appreciated an additional fraction after the noon period, under the influence of heavy buying orders in ceretin issues. Amalgamated Copper was bought by Boston houses in anticipation of the dividend tomorrow. It is generally believed that the stock will be placed on a permanent 4 per cent basis by the payment of 1 per cent for the quarter. The last payment was 1¼ and 1⅝ extra. The United States Steel issues were also taken on a rising scale, the buying being based on the quarterly statement of earnings which is to be published next Tuesday and which is expected to be one of the most favorable ever made by the company. A belated rise in Atlantic Coast line and Louisville & Nashville stimulated the close which was active at the advanced level.

LIVESTOCK BY TELEGRAPH.

CHICAGO, April 19.—Cattle—Receipts, 21,000; 10c lower; good to prime steers, $6@6.75; poor to medium, $4.60@5.75; stockers and feeders, $2.50@4.10; cows, $2.60@5.60; heifers, $3@6; canners, $1.60@2; bulls, $2.50@4.10; calves, $3@8.50. Hogs—Receipts today, 28,000; tomorrow, 20,000; steady to easy; mixed and butchers, $5.45@5.55; good to choice heavy, $5.52½@5.60; rough heavy, $5.35@5.45; light, $5.35@5.50; bulk of sales, $5.45@5.55. Sheep—Receipts, 18,000; sheep and lambs steady; good to choice wethers, shorn, $5.25@5.35; fair to choice mixed, shorn, $4@4.75; western sheep, $4.50@5.30; native lambs, shorn, $4.50@6.70; western lambs, $5@7.75.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 19.—Cattle—Receipts, 8000, including 900 southerns; market 5@10c lower; native steers, $4.75@6.50; southern steers, $4@6.90; southern cows, $2.75@4.85; native cows and heifers, $2.50@5.60; stockers and feeders, $3.25@5.25; bulls, $2.75@4.50; calves, $3@6.25; western fed steers, $5@6.50; western fed cows, $3.50@5.40. Hogs—Receipts, 11,000; market steady to 5c lower; bulk of sales, $5.30@5.42½; heavy, $5.35@5.45; packers, $5.25@5.45; pigs and light, $4.40@5.37½. Sheep—Receipts, 7000; market weak to 10c higher; muttons, $4.50@6; lambs, $5.75@7.50; range wethers, $5@5.60; fed ewes, $4.50@5.60.

WHEAT GRADING WILL STAND TEMPORARILY

Attorney-General Refuses to Seek Injunction Against Commission's Order.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., April 19.—Attorney-General Hadley has received an application from St. Louis parties to bring an injunction against the railroad commissioners to prevent them from enforcing their order grading No. 2 red Russian wheat as No. 2 hard winter wheat.

He has refused to bring this suit for the reason that the present deliveries are based on the May option and the elevator people have purchased much of this wheat and mixed it with No. 2 winter wheat, and it could not be separated. He would be willing to institute that proceeding to determine the matter in the Supreme court, but this could not be determined until after the May option and this is not what the parties who make the application want.

He will probably institute such proceeding after the May deliveries have been made, but he will not now take action which would destroy the value of such property purchased in good faith by bringing an injunction suit.

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NEW YORK STOCK QUOTATIONS.

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NEW YORK, April 19.

STOCKS.	Open.	High.	Low.	Price at 1:45
American Car and Foundry	41	41¾	40⅝	41¼
do preferred	97¼	98¼	96¾	98¼
American Locomotive com.	37¼	38¼	36¾	38⅛
American Smelter	119	119	118½	119
American Sugar	143	144¾	141¾	142¾
A. C. P.	87¼	88¼	86¾	87½
C. F. I.	56	57	55	56¾
Consolidated Gas	199¼	201	199	201
National Lead common	46	46¾	47	46¾
North American	105¾	106¾	105	106½
Pacific Mail	42¾	43	42¾	43
People's Gas	110¾	111¾	109¾	111¼
Republic Iron and Steel	21¾	22¾	21¼	22½
do preferred	80¾	81¾	78¾	80½
T. C. I.	100	102	98¾	101¾
U. S. Leather common	13¾	13¾	13	13¾
U. S. Steel	37¼	37¾	36¾	37½
do preferred	103¾	104	102¾	103¾
West. Union	94¾	95¾	93½	95¾
Atchison common	89¾	90½	87¾	88½
B. & O.	109	109¾	108¾	109¾
B. R. T.	87¾	88¾	87¼	88¾
Canadian Pacific	151¾	152¾	151	153
C. & O.	56	56¾	55¾	56¾
C. & A. common	46	46	39½	39½
C. & G. W.	23¾	24¼	23¾	24
C. M. & St. P.	182¾	184¾	181¾	183¾
Colorado Southern	28¾	29¼	28¾	29¼
D. & H.	189½	191	189	190¾
Denver & Rio Grande pfd	80	80	80	80
Erie common	45¼	46¾	44¾	46¾
do 1st	80	81	80	80
Illinois Central	164	164¾	163	164¾
Louisville & Nashville	142¾	146¾	141¾	146
Manhattan	166¼	166¾	166	166¾
Metropolitan	122	122	121¼	122
Metropolitan Secs.	23½	23½	23½	23¾
Mexican Central	23¼	23¾	23¼	23¾
Missouri, Kansas & Texas	31	31	30¾	31
do preferred	66¾	66¾	66	66¾
Missouri Pacific	103	105¼	103	105¼
New York Central com.	154¾	156¼	154¼	156¼
New York, O. & W.	58¾	60	58¾	59¾
N. & W.	84¾	85¼	84¼	85
Pennsylvania	141¾	142¾	141¾	142¾
Reading common	96¾	98¾	96¾	98¾
Rock Island	33¾	34¼	33¾	34
do 2d	84¼	84¾	84	84
St. Louis & S. F. 2d	68	69	68	68
Southern Pacific	65¾	66¼	65½	66¾
Southern Railway	33¾	34¾	33¾	34¼
Texas Pacific	35½	36¾	35	36½
Union Pacific common	123¾	125¼	123¾	125¾
Wabash common	20½	22¼	22	22¼
do debenture Bs	75½	79½	75½	78¾
Wisconsin Central preferred	51¾	52	51¼	51¾

Sales to noon, 718,400.

LIVESTOCK MARKET.

National Stockyards.

CATTLE—Receipts, 1800. The supply today was very light, mostly common and medium grade. A few good beef steers included. The market was slow and the prices about 30c higher.

SALES.

No.		Av.	Price.
35	native beef steers	1514	$5 85
17	native beef steers	1250	5 80
13	native beef steers	1351	5 50
20	native beef steers	1176	5 40
14	native beef steers	1243	5 25
13	native beef steers	1230	5 00
3	native beef steers	1130	4 75
2	native beef steers	985	4 00
1	native heifer	650	5 00
1	native heifer	610	4 75
3	native heifers	905	5 00
6	native heifers	1096	4 75
4	native heifers	852	4 50
2	native heifers	764	4 00
14	native heifers	857	4 25
14	native heifers	878	4 00
18	native heifers	868	3 90
1	native heifer	770	3 00
1	native cow	1280	4 75
1	native cow	1040	4 25
2	native cows	1130	4 15
3	native cows	1198	4 00
4	native cows	1146	3 90
3	native cows	1010	3 85
18	native cows	1030	3 50
3	native cows	946	3 35
1	native cow	800	3 00
1	native cows	850	2 50
1	native bull	1480	3 50
1	native bulls	1180	3 25
1	native bull	1370	3 10
3	veal calves	162	6 25
1	veal calves	114	6 00
3	veal calves	117	5 75
3	veal calves	108	5 50
2	veal calves	110	5 00
2	veal calves	210	4 50
1	veal calf	260	3 00
1	milker		60 00
2	milkers, each		60 00
2	milker		38 00
3	milkers, each		33 00
7	milkers, each		20 00
3	milkers		20 00
9	milkers, each		18 00
14	native stock steers	1061	4 65
20	native stock steers	1132	4 60
12	native stock steers	726	4 25
13	native stock steers	630	4 00
24	native stock steers	491	3 90
10	native stock steers	725	3 85
1	stock heifer	730	3 60
1	stock heifers	532	2 85
1	stock heifer	810	3 00
37	Texas fed steers	1177	5 27
19	Texas fed steers	1014	4 50
1	Texas fed calf	1110	4 25
1	Texas fed bulls	1200	3 50
2	Texas fed bulls	1210	2 85
159	grassed Texas steers	962	4 05
49	grassed Texas steers	933	3 35
26	grassed Texas heifers	755	4 00
20	grassed Texas heifers	770	4 00
20	grassed Texas bulls	1177	3 15
14	Arkansas steers	1220	4 00
18	Arkansas steers	845	2 00
13	Arkansas calves	115	5 50

HOGS—Receipts, 6500. Elegant supply on sale. Best heavy hogs active and steady, others a shade lower.

SALES.

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
58	300	$5 00	75	236	$5 37½
92	301	5 37½	68	229	5 55
78	187	5 52	83	205	5 50
94	189	5 50	84	228	5 47½
96	192	5 47½	80	234	5 45
83	190	5 45	76	208	5 42½
87	178	5 40	100	196	5 40
71	180	5 37½	40	185	5 25
15	121	5 30	20	109	5 25

SHEEP—Receipts, 3000. Elegant supply. Market 25c lower.

SALES.

No.		Av.	Price.
12	spring lambs	41	$10 50
17	clipped lambs	44	6 50
107	clipped lambs	81	6 25
16	clipped native sheep	146	5 50
90	clipped native sheep	86	5 00
80	clipped native sheep	99	4 75
18	clipped native sheep	128	4 50
2	bucks	105	3 75
3	bucks	171	3 50

BEARS HAVE INNING IN THE GRAIN PIT

After Strong Opening, Rain Indications Send Prices Downward and Sharp Trading Results.

The bears had an inning in the grain market Wednesday. They overcame the handicap of a strong opening and dry weather reports and pulled the market down materially. The trading was light early, but when the price of the July and September options dropped, eager buyers appeared. Several stiff purchases of July were made at 82¾c, holding the market on the rebound from that figure for a good part of the session.

Cables were higher on wheat after the opening, the crop news brought the usual reports of scattered damage and some conflicting news, and, generally, the information was bullish except for rain prospects. Receipts at primary points were nearly double a year ago. Chicago getting the lion's share.

The Chicago market toppled after the opening and Minneapolis, which was closely watched from the pit, showed a downward tendency.

The May option was without support and weakened in the face of any advance. Corn attracted more attention from the traders and weakened slightly. Oats came in for very little attention.

Receipts: Wheat, 15,200 bu local, 950 bu through; shipments, 62,460. Corn, 10,000 bu local, 1100 bu through; shipments, 185 sacks and 22,505 bu. Oats, 10,800 bu local, 4000 bu through; shipments, 40,430 bu.

HAY—Receipts, 1040 local, 375 tons through; shipments, 315 tons; steady on good grades. Low grades plentiful and very dull. Market, east track—Timothy $13@13.50 for choice, $10@11.50 for No. 1, 34 @9.50 for No. 2, $7@8 for low grades. Clover, $11.50@13 for No. 1, $8@10 for No. 2, $8@7 for low grades. Clover mixed, $8.50@9.50 for No. 1, $7.50@8.50 for No. 2, $6@7 for low grades. Prairie, $10 for choice, $8.50@9 for No. 1, $7@8.50 for No. 2, low grades, $6@7. Straw, $4.50@5 for wheat and oats, $6@10 for rye.

FLOUR—Receipts, 3675 bbls.; shipments, 9730. Dull. Market quotations are: Soft winter wheat flour, wood, patent, $5@5.25; extra fancy, $4.55@4.70; Clear, $4@4.40; low and medium grade, jute sacks, $3@3.75; hard winter wheat flour, in jute sacks, patent, $4.75@4.85; straight, $4.50@4.60; first clear, $3.90@4.20; second clear, $3.25@3.50; low grade, $2.75@3.10. Rye flour, wood, $4@4.40; jute sacks, $3.78@3.85; cornmeal $2.50; pearl meal, grits and hominy, $2.80.

FUTURE PRICES.

ST. LOUIS.

	Closing Yesterday.	Highest Today.	Lowest Today.	Closing Today.
WHEAT.				
May	$1.01 b	$1.01	99¾	99¾@¾
July	83¼@83¼b	83½	82¾@82¾	82¾@83
Sept	82¾	82¾	81¾	81¾
CORN.				
May	45¾b	46	45¾	45¾
July	46 a 46¼@46¾	46	46	46
OATS.				
May	28¼	28¾	28¼	28¼@¾
July	25¼n 27½@28	27¾	27¼	27¼
NEW YORK.				
WHEAT.				
May	$1.08¾ a	$1.09¼	$1.08¾	$1.07½@¾
July	93 a	93¾	92¾	92¾@¾
CORN.				
May	53½b	53¾	53½	53½@¾
July	52¾a	53	52¾	52¾
MINNEAPOLIS.				
WHEAT.				
May	$1.07½b	$1.08	$1.06¾	$1.06¾@¾
July	1.06¾@1.07	1.08¾@¾	1.06¾@¾	1.06¾@¾
CHICAGO GRAIN.				
WHEAT.				
May	$1.15¼	$1.15¾	$1.13¾	$1.13¾ b
July	88 b	88¾@88½	87¼	87¼a
Sept	82¾@83 b	83¾	82¼@82¾	82¼@82¾
CORN.				
May	48½@48¾a	47¼	47¼	47¼a
July	47¾@47½	47¼	47¾	47¼a
OATS.				
May	29¾@29½b	30¼	29¾@30	29¾@30¼
July	29¾@29½b	30	29¾	29¼
CHICAGO PROVISIONS.				
PORK.				
May	$12.50@52b	$12.50	$12.47½@50	$12.50
July	12.80 b	12.82	12.75	12.77
LARD.				
May	$7.22 a	$7.22	$7.17½@20	$7.17½@20
July	7.40 b	7.40	7.37	7.37
RIBS.				
May	6.95 b	6.95	6.92½@95	6.92½@95
July	7.22½@25	7.25	7.20	7.20@22½

ST. LOUIS CASH MARKET.

	Today.	Yesterday.	Year ago.
WHEAT.			
No. 2 red	$1.08@09	$1.10	97@1.00¼
No. 3 red	99@1.05	97@1.06	96@1.01
No. 2	72 @96	72 @96	90 @96
No. 2 hard	1.06 n	1.06 n	90 @96
No. 3 hard	93 @99	93 @99	85 @89
No. 4 hard	80 @94	80 @94	77 @88
CORN.			
No. 2	48¼@49	49 @49½	50 @50¼
No. 3	48 @48¼	48½	49
No. 2 yellow		49¼	50 @51
No. 3 yellow		48¼	49
No. 2 white	48¾@49	49 @49½	50@50½
No. 3 white	48 @48¼	48¼	49
OATS.			
No. 2	31¼@32	31¾	42 @42½
No. 3	30¾	30¾	40 @41¼
No. 4	30 @31	30 @31	37 @39
No. 2 white	33¼	33¼	45 @45½
No. 3 white	32¾@33¼	32¾@33¼	43 @44½
No. 4 white	31 @32	31½@33¼	39 @42

Stocks of Grain in St. Louis Elevators.

	Today.	Yesterday.	Year ago.
Wheat	2,131,835	2,172,681	2,316,327
Corn	82,560	98,878	229,696
Oats	620,905	623,537	77,115
Rye	2,300	2,300	3,000
Barley	17,907	17,907	14,502
No. 2 red wheat	1,122,776	1,123,024	1,643,169
No. 2 hard wheat	57,645	58,058	180,733

BUTTER, EGGS AND PRODUCE.

BUTTER—Firm; 31½@32c. Creamery, extra, 31½@32c; firsts very scarce; seconds, 28½@29c; dairy packed, fancy, 28@29c; poor to fair, 19@20c; ladle-packed, extra, 24@25c; firsts, 20@21c. Process, 25@27c for choice. Dairy (2 bbl, 17c, and packed 14@15c; northern roll, 18@20c; grease stock, 14@15c.

EGGS—Wednesday: Received 2823 packages local and 4340 packages through; sh

THOMAS RECOVERS BACK CLERK HIRE

Payment of $911 to St. Clair County Clerk Completes Vindication, Say Friends.

Friends of George K. Thomas, county clerk of St. Clair County, consider that his vindication has been made complete by the payment to him Tuesday by County Treasurer Wolf at Belleville of $911, claimed by him as back clerk hire.

The payment of the amount is regarded as the wind-up of the proceedings resulting from an investigation of the office of Mr. Thomas by the County Board of Supervisors. This committee said it discovered irregularities in the office of Mr. Thomas and his indictment on a number of counts was procured.

Mr. Thomas denied that there were any irregularities, attributing what seemed such to the bookkeeping. He was tried on one indictment and acquitted and the others were dismissed. He paid to the county an amount claimed to be due and presented a counter claim for back clerk hire which he had paid out of his own pocket. His claim was passed on by the committee on salaries and reports. It recommended the payment of the $911.

In their report the members of the committee said that they had no doubt that Mr. Thomas had expended larger amounts, but after the lapse of several years the receipts could not be found and they, therefore, could not recommend the payment of a larger amount.

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OLD DELEGATES HEAD FIVE COMMITTEES

Speaker of Lower House Announces Appointments, New Men Getting Nine Chairmanships.

CONNELL ON RAILROADS.

Meehan Offers Bill Appropriating $50,000 for Collection and Disposal of Garbage.

Of the nine old members of the House of Delegates, five are named as chairmen of the committees appointed for the coming terms by Speaker Daniel L. Meehan.

The list of appointments as announced by the speaker at Tuesday night's session is as follows:

Ways and means—Otto, O'Brien, Gazzolo, Williams and Golden.

Public improvements—Wiedmer, Nash, Coale, Schuck, Conran, Heffernan and Moloney.

Railroads—Connell, Bentley, Hussey, Kaiser, Smythe, Zimmerman and Witthooft.

Claims—Gazzolo, Connell, Metzler, Kollas and Williams.

Fire department—Smythe, Golden, Stannard, Conran and Wiedmer.

Police and workhouse—Heffernan, Simmons and Hussey.

Sanitary affairs—O'Brien, Nash, Moloney, Wiedmer and Weeke.

Markets—Golden, Schuck and Priesmeyer.

Public accounts—Kaiser, Metzler and Hallock.

Election and registration—Kaiser, Stannard and Zimmerman.

Legislation—Coale, Otto, Simmons, Hussey and Gevers.

Education and labor—Schuck, Nash, Kollas, Hallock, Williams, Gevers and Otto.

House of delegates—Weeke, Priesmeyer and Witthoeft.

Engrossed and enrolled bills—Moloney, Gazzolo and Bentley.

After a report of judgments of the different Missouri courts affecting St. Louis by Comptroller J. Y. Player, bills were passed making appropriations to meet these judgments.

A bill for an appropriation of $50,000 for the collection and disposal of dead animals and garbage was introduced by Speaker Meehan. Mr. O'Brien presented a bill regulating the penalty against peddlers and classifying certain offenses as misdemeanors.

Another bill introduced authorized the St. Louis & Suburban Railway Co. to alter the course of its tracks at Thirteenth and Lucas avenue. An adjournment was made for one week.

SONS OF ST. GEORGE BANQUET.

The annual banquet in commemoration of St. George's Day will be held at the St. Nicholas Hotel Tuesday evening, April 25. Some of the best public speakers in the city have accepted the invitation of the committee. There fill be music by a first-class orchestra, and popular singers will participate. By the united co-operation of all the members of the Sons of St. George this celebration promises to outshine previous efforts.

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"THE ETERNAL GRIND" OF SOCIAL DUTIES

What a Society Leader Thinks of Society.

"You cannot imagine," said a society woman recently, "what REAL WORK a woman has to perform in the direction of keeping up with her social duties. The constant round of dinners, teas, weddings, etc., and the tax, not only on her powers of endurance, but on her digestion as well, from nibbling sweets at the lighter entertainments to eating the rich food at dinner parties and after the theater day after day has made many a woman old and faded before her time. Worse than this is the fact that many a tired society woman has tried violent drugs or harmful stimulants to keep her 'up to the notch'—needless to say, with evil effect. For myself, I think I have discovered the secret of reconciling society and perfect health—Heptol Splits. It keeps my complexion clear, insures perfect digestion and banishes those terrible sick headaches so many of us suffer from."

THIS MAN WILL HEAR HOW STANDARD TRUST AFFECTS MISSOURIANS.

COMMISSIONER GARFIELD.

LOSS ON OIL HERE EXCEEDS KANSANS'

Attorney-General Hadley Will Show Commissioner Garfield How Trust Affects Missouri.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., April 19.—Attorney-General Hadley of Missouri will meet Commissioner of Corporations Garfield at Kansas City, Thursday, and will, it is said, be prepared to show the commissioner that the people of Missouri have suffered more from the alleged combine that controls the production and sale of oil in America than the people of Kansas.

Mr. Hadley says that he will present evidence to Commissioner Garfield showing that for 15 years the Waters-Pierce Oil Co. and the Republic Oil Co., both alleged to be allied with the Standard Oil Trust, have taken thousands of dollars from Missourians against hundreds from Kansans. He insists that a combination to increase prices to the consumer is as much of a crime as to reduce prices affecting the producer.

In Kansas the complaint is that because of a combination of these companies with other companies which serve as their allies the oil producers are not getting good enough prices for their output. Mr. Hadley contends that this is an insignificant matter compared with increasing the price of oil to consumers.

RABIES FATAL AFTER MONTHS

New York Man Succumbs to Hydrophobia Long After Being Bitten by Dog.

NEW YORK, April 19.—Hydrophobia from a dog bite received several months ago has caused the death of Louis Ellwinge, 23 years old, in the Orange County, New Jersey, hospital.

Ellwinge was married seven months ago. Soon afterwards the dog, a small pup, was given him by a friend and while playing with it he was bitten on the cheek. The wound was disinfected, but not cauterized.

Ellwinge became ill Sunday, when he noticed a difficulty in swallowing water. The symptoms gradually became more pronounced until convulsions developed. Between spasms he was perfectly rational and had his bride take him to a hospital.

Experts were called, but they could do nothing to check the convulsions, and after terrible suffering Ellwinge finally succumbed.

EIGHT HOUR LAW IS ATTACKED

United States Supreme Court Asked to Decide Legality of Missouri Statute.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 19.—The United States Supreme court has been called upon to decide the constitutionality of the eight-hour mining law enacted by the Missouri legislature in 1901.

The case is that of H. J. Cantwell against the state of Missouri. It comes to the Supreme court on a writ of error from the Missouri Supreme court, which sustained the law.

Cantwell was president of the Catherine Lead Co. in Madison County and was convicted on information that some of the miners had worked ten hours under contracts. In defense Cantwell's attorneys attacked the law on the ground that it violated the fourteenth amendment of the constitution, which guarantees the right to contract for labor.

DELAY FOR NEW OFFICERS.

Failure of Council to Approve Bonds Postpones Installation.

Collector Hagerman, Marshal Weinbrenner, Register Regan, Inspector Layton and President O'Reill yof the B. P. I., will have to wait another week before assuming charge of their offices.

These men, together with all the re-elected city officials, filed their bonds for approval with the Council last night. The Council ways and means committee will not report on the matter until next Tuesday.

Messrs. Rolfes, Linde and Marks were appointed to the sanitary committee of the Council Tuesday night.

Councilman Rolfes introduced a bill granting an electric railway franchise along Hall's Ferry road in North St. Louis to E. S. and J. R. Scott, T. H. Wegman, J. R. Kinealy and A. W. Newton. The Council adjourned over Good Friday.

GASOLINE TO BE INSPECTED.

Attorney-General Declares Such Action Is Compulsory.

LOUISIANA, Mo., April 19.—Gasoline must be inspected in Missouri, according to an official opinion rendered to Gov. Folk by Attorney-General Hadley.

Heretofore no fees have been paid to the inspector inspecting gasoline. The officials will be called upon to invoke the penalties of the inspection statute, which are heavy, if the law is not complied with in the future.

The Standard Oil Co. contends that the statute does not provide for the inspection of gasoline.

C—Spring styles the Celebrity Oxfords for C—boys and girls at Boehmer's, 6th and Franklin av.

CLERGYMEN SAY MAN IS USEFUL UNTIL 75

Southern Methodist Conference Thwarts Attempt to "Osler-ize" Minister of 55.

The Osler theory was rejected and the limit of usefulness placed at the age of 75 by the St. Louis Southern Methodist district conference at Carondelet Tuesday, when Rev. John M. O'Bryen, a local minister, was admitted into the conference.

When Rev. O'Bryen's name was presented, Rev. J. R. Eddlemon asked his age and how many children he had. When informed by Dr. Murry that Rev. O'Bryen was 55 years of age and had 10 children, Rev. Eddlemon cautioned the conference against swelling the list of superannuated ministers who must be supported.

A dozen ministers rose to the defense of Rev. O'Bryen. One declared that he was fit for 20 years more of active service in the pulpit.

Samuel Cupples introduced a resolution expressing thanks to Gov. Folk for the enforcement of all laws, particularly the Sunday closing law.

The conference adjourned Tuesday night and the closing sermon was preached by Rev. W. B. Hays.

ELECTED MAYOR EIGHTH TIME.

Fred L. Baltz entered upon his eighth year as mayor of Millstadt, Ill., Wednesday. He was elected to the office for the eighth successive time Tuesday. More votes were cast than at any previous election in the village. Mr. Baltz was last Saturday re-elected president of the school board on the school-ma'am issue, he being favorably disposed toward the employment of women teachers in the Millstadt schools.

The other officers elected were: Henry Tegtmeyer, clerk; William Feuerhahn, marshal; John Wagner, George Hankamfer and Christ Hess, aldermen.

SHOT HIMSELF IN BED WHILE ASLEEP

Blood Poison Endangers Life of Man Who Guarded Money Closely.

P. Yahonic, 36 years old, living at 11 South Sixteenth street, was taken to the City Hospital Tuesday night suffering from blood poisoning caused by a gunshot wound in the right thigh. It is thought that amputation will be necessary in order to save the man's life.

Yahonic, who speaks no English, came to St. Louis two weeks ago from Austria. He had $100 in cash on his person and was very much afraid of being robbed. He bought a revolver and, upon retiring the first night, laid the weapon in the bed beside him, reasoning that if burglars entered his room, he could grasp the revolver and open fire upon them easier than if it were under his pillow.

He was not visited by burglars, but the next morning, forgetting about the pistol in bed with him, he chanced in some manner to so touch the trigger that the weapon was discharged, inflicting a petty flesh wound in his right thigh. Nothing was thought of it, and Yahonic did not consult a doctor.

Punchbowl for Phillips.

Hiram Phillips, retiring president of the Board of Public Improvements, was presented with a punchbowl by 60 employes of the various departments of the board. The presentation took place at Mr. Phillips' residence, 5161 Kensington avenue. Chief Engineer J. W. Wood of the City Hall made a few remarks on behalf of the employes.

REAL ESTATE MEN RE-ELECT ZEIBIG

With 82 of 100 members voting the Real Estate Exchange Tuesday unanimously re-elected Frederick G. Zeibig president for the coming year.

Twenty-two members were announced as candidates for the 12 places on the directorate. A tie vote between Fred B. Murphy and J. H. Farish was settled by drawing lots in favor of Farish.

At a meeting Thursday afternoon, the newly elected officers will select a vice-president, a secretary and assistant secretary.

The new directors are: George H. Boeck, A. H. Frederick, J. H. Gundlach, F. W. Mott, F. S. Parker, Sidney Schiele, J. H. Farish, F. H. Gerhart, Theodore Hemmelmann, Jr., C. F. A. Mueller, Robert Rutledge and A. T. Terry.

EXCHANGE TO URGE FREE BRIDGE BILL

A special committee of the Merchants' Exchange is to co-operate in the movement to secure the passage of the Illinois free bridge bill, pending in the Legislature.

The board of directors Tuesday authorized President Talehmann to appoint such a committee. This committee will reinforce the committee from the St. Louis Manufacturers' Association when it goes to Springfield to attend the hearing on the bill.

The hearing was to have taken place Thursday, but it has been postponed. There will also be committees from the Citizens' Municipal Free Bridge and Improved Terminal Association, St. Louis Post of the Travelers' Protective Association and the West End Business Men's Association.

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Constipation	Rheumatism
Dysentery—Cancer	Scrofula—Syphilis
Diphtheria—Sciatica	Skin Diseases
Dandruff—Dropsy	Stomach Troubles
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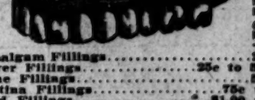

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